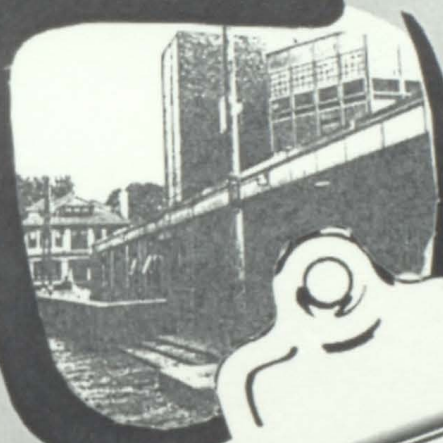
Through Our Eyes '99



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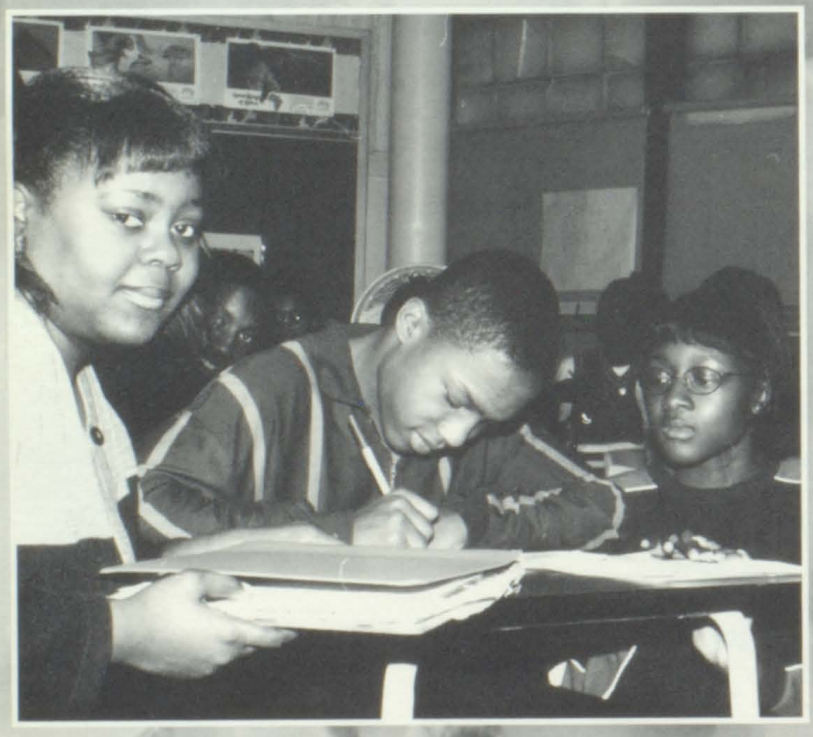
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All in the Family

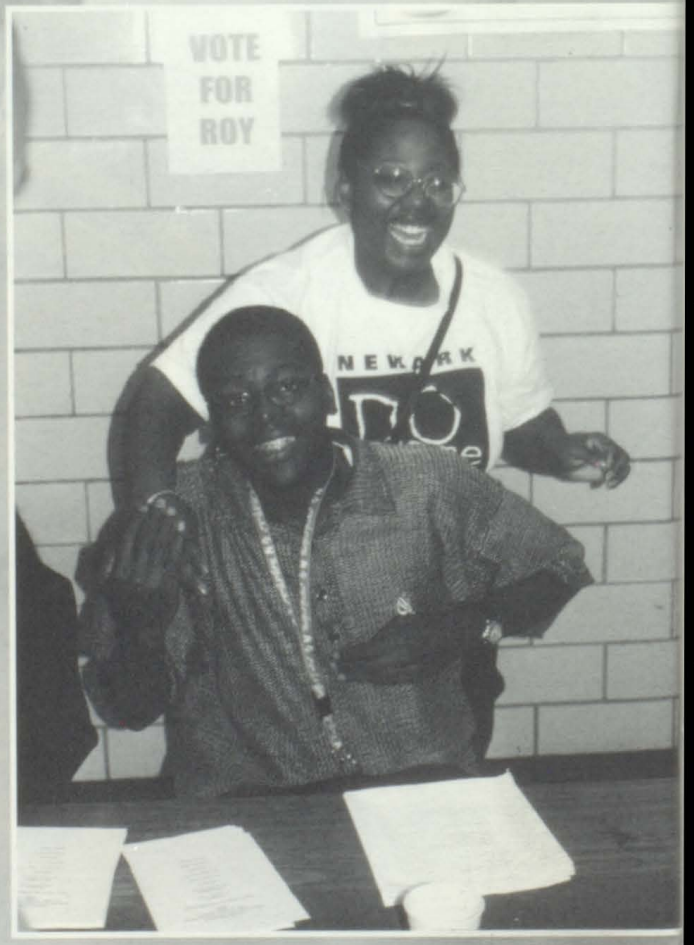
What is it that has made University High what it is? What is it that has for over two decades made it the standard by which other schools are compared? It is an accumulation of the most talented staff, devoted students and the ability of these two components to handle the many trials that have been placed upon them. University High, in just the past four years, has gone through State take over, the various changes in top administration and the loss of such beloved educators as Mr. John Ransome and Ms. Susan Jackson.



Students proudly display their hard work on the animal cell that they completed for Ms. Rojy's Bio Class.



It's not all fun and games at Big Uni. With block scheduling, it seems that work is part of fun.



Jennifer S. and James M. seem to be having fun as "voting consultants"



There is always room for Otis Anderson. The girlz gladly include him in a pose during lunch break.

Michelle Hardy and Al-Jamar take a few minutes to reaffirm their friendship.





Practice for the chorus assembly is not at all fun, but its great having Ms. James for a teacher.

Between Brothers



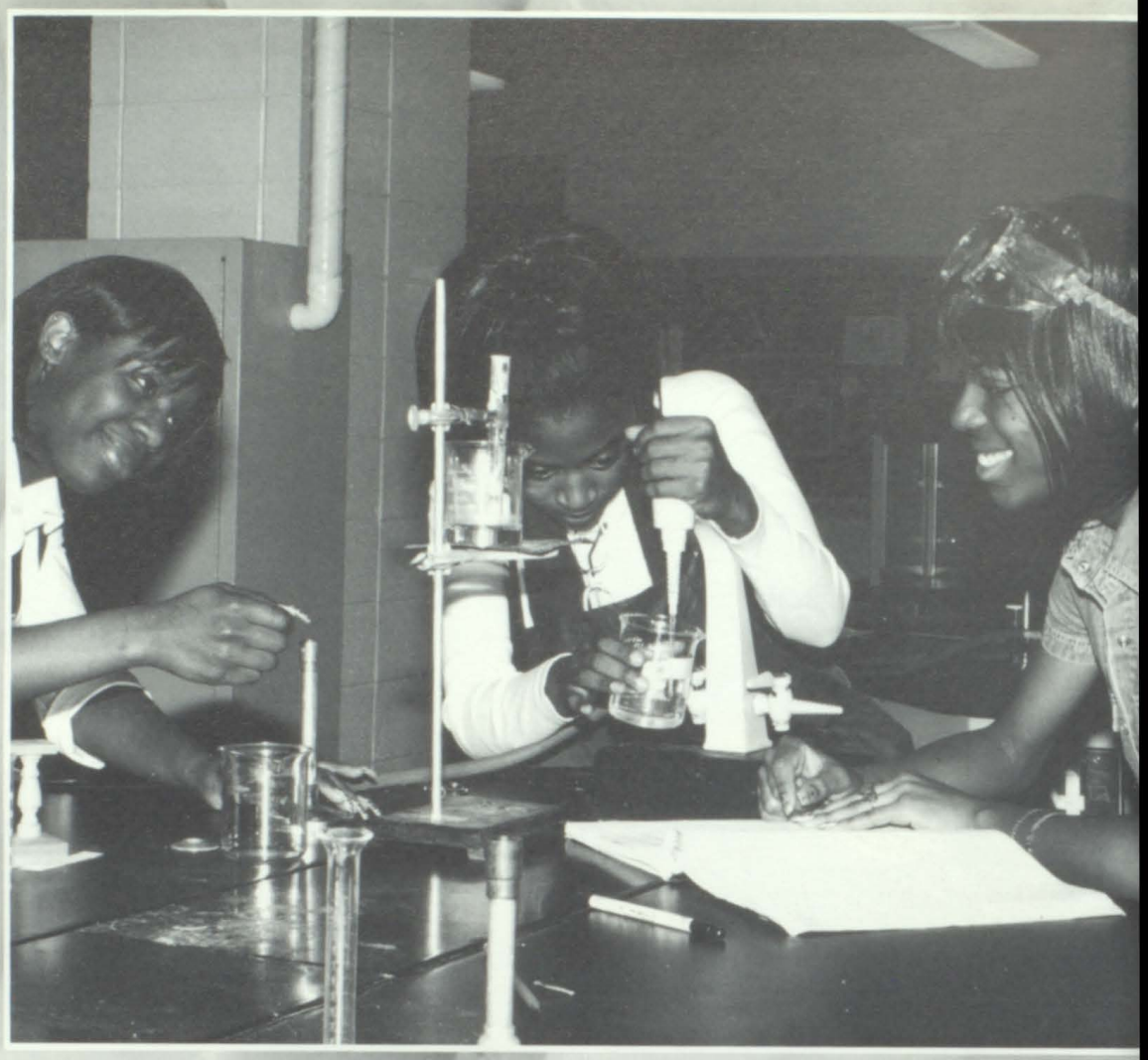
Be A Pal

James Gilbert and Rasool Wright share classes and smiles.

Lakisha S., Rikiya H., and Joy P, pay close attention as they wait for something to happen. Luckily, they didn't burn UHS down..

Nashid K. and Marie D. contemplate the end of their high school career.



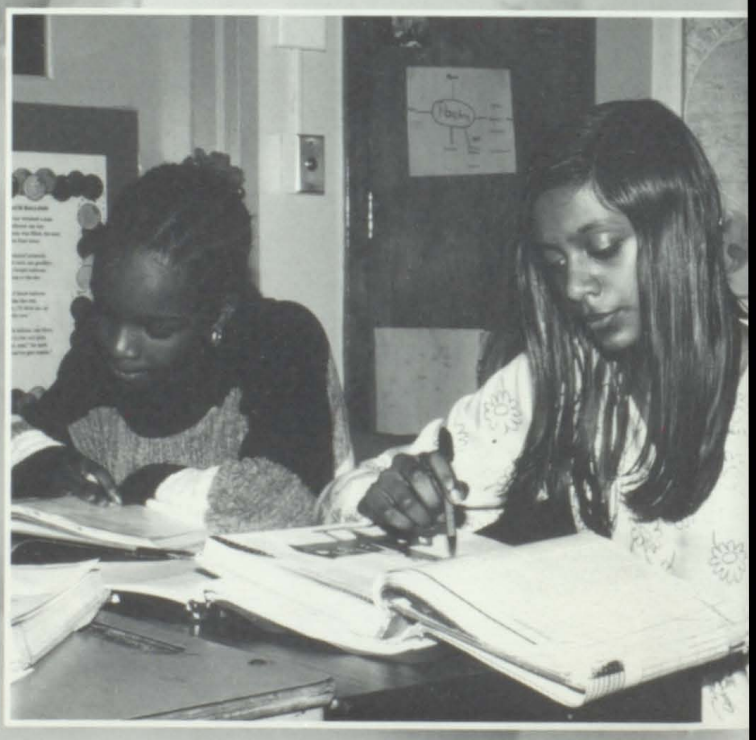


Sister, Sister

What Would We Do Without You?

Ms. Hewett uses Rikiya to express the love that she has for all of her Senior students.





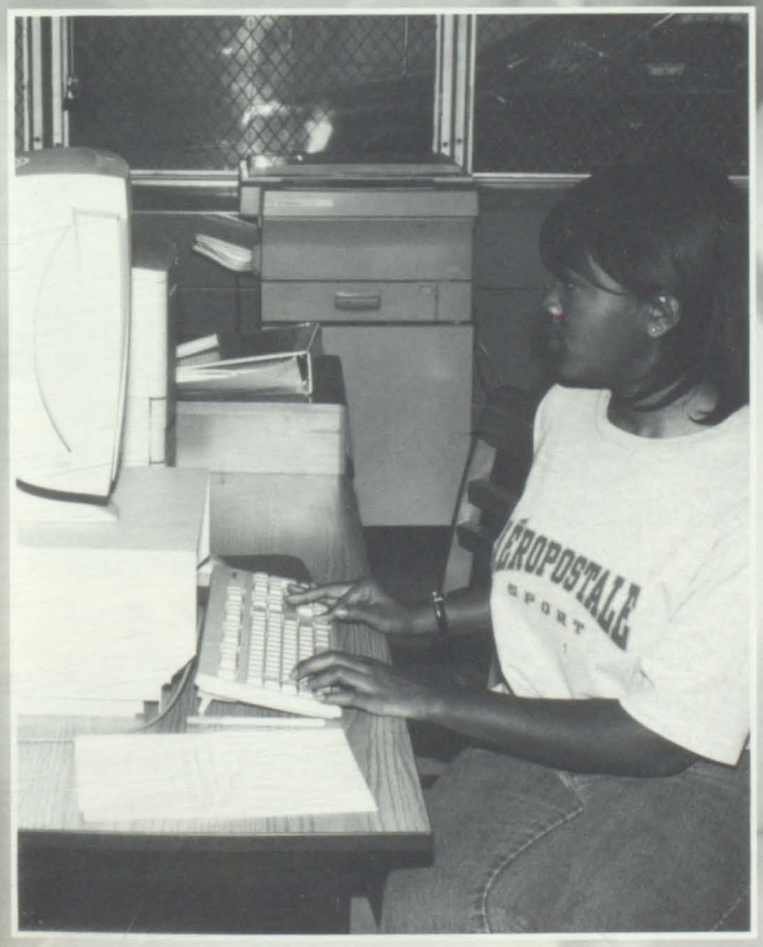
"What else does a girl need?" Nisha M. has her book, and it's covere a pen, a note book, and a friend. It's all good!

Home Improvement

Chemistry with Mrs. Ransome as the teacher has Aquila S., Jennifer S., and Laquan G., working hard at finishing their lab project.



We as a school, and more importantly as a family, have been able to emerge from these trials victorious. We have always been able to face these various vicissitudes with the same might and vigor that have continued to make this school great. The Class of 1999 has had the privilege of being part of both the good and bad times. We have hung in and faced the adversity for the past four years because this is our home. It is *our* family and a little piece of it is now part of us forever. What is it that makes University High School different? It is that we have been and will continue to be a family.





Oh! What is Felicia M. searching for on the Internet?

Jessica F. and friend work cooperatively as they complete their class assignment.

6 All Our Children



Those who don't attend University High School can't possibly fathom the dedication and the commitment displayed by the innovative and patient staff, the finest and most prestigious faculty, and the underclassmen who return each year with more vigor and devotion than the year before. Their constant and unfettered endurance to make University High great is fueled by the high standards that have been set by their predecessors. It is their greatness that will continue to make these standards the legacy for generations to come.

Leading the Way....



Dr. Norma. Fair-Brown
Principal



Ms. Carnelias Ann Clark
Vice Principal



Mary Alterie
Beatrice Andrews
Valerie Barnes
Grace Beaumont
Elizabeth Blackmon
Edward Bomze

James Brown
Wilhemena Brown
Gloria Buck
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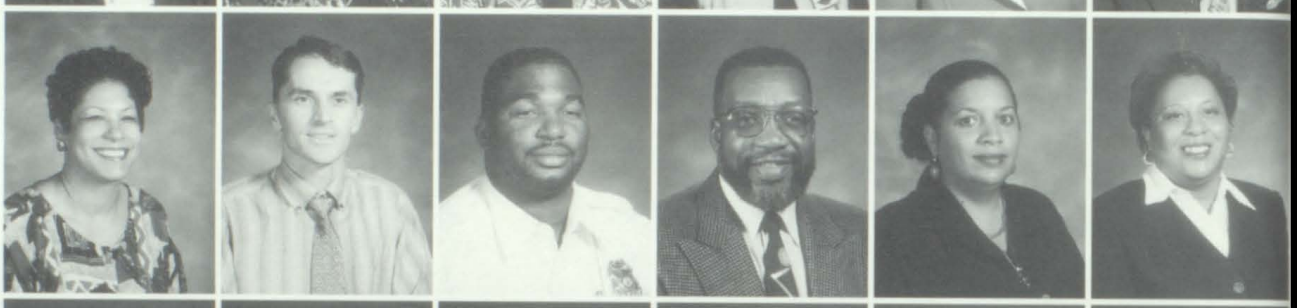
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Fletchine Hall
Clifford Harris
Jack Hatcher
Gary Hayes
Sandra Hewett



RoseAnn Heyl
Barrington Jackson
Susan Jackson
Jackie James
Gloria Johnson
Walter Kaczka



J. Keene-Owens
Vilmos Kirlay
Nathan Leary
Percy LeSure
Jean Lewis-Roche
M. Louis-Howard



Daisy Madison
Alicia Mahon
Linda Melvin
J. Mills-Ransome
Robert Moore
Z. Muhammad





Nurse Beaumont takes George Santiago's blood pressure, while a room full of tudents wait to be seen.

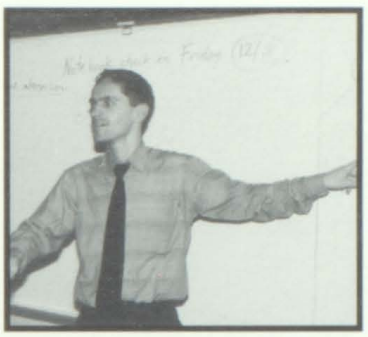


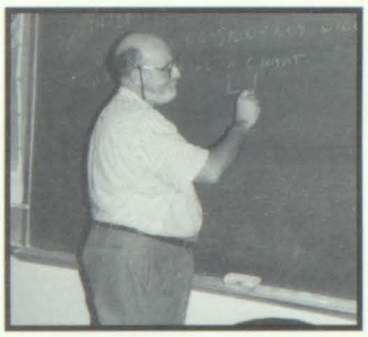
Nothing but the best for Ms. Hewett's athletes. With Yasmeen's help, she is inspecting new sneakers for the girl's basketball team.

A Teaching Life



"You can do it!" Stephanie Foard encouraging Sra. Rivera-Cruz.





The mark of a good teacher? Chalk marks on clothing! New faculty at the board: Mr. Kiraly (math) and Mr. Bomze (history).



Good teaching comes in various modes, whether teaching a class or providing one-on-one. Mrs. Muhammad tutors a rather "shy" Jamil Burch.



Valerie Noble
Thomas Piazza
Quetzy Rivera-Cruz
Debra Rojy
Sondra Ryder
Gwendolyn Sanford

George Sawaged
Basim Shariah
Monique Small
Darnell Starks
Joyce Stephenson
Kathleen Tierney

MaryAnn Wawak
Chris Welch
Joan White
Patricia Wing
Michael Woodland
Jean Woodson



Touched By An Angel

You pushed us until we reached our fullest potential
You showed us love in many ways undefined
The land we share can not be replaced
To Ms. Ferrera we are grateful.



Victoria Ferrera
Retired English Teacher



John Henry Ransome
Deceased Music Teacher

You graced us with the sweet melody of jazz
You touched our hearts with lyrics of love
Instilled in us the beauty of marching to the beat of our own drum.
To our dear departed Mr. Ransome we are grateful.



Raul Cedeno-
Retired Spanish Teacher

The time you spent with us was like a breeze
Calm, cool and collective you remained
You graced us with your warm, loving smile
To Mr. Cedeno we are grateful.





Susan Jackson-
Deceased Office Secretary

Behind the scenes is where you could be found
Typing, filing and phone calls were not your qualities
You were willing to go the extra mile to assure a job well done
To Ms. Susan Jackson we are grateful.



You have touched our lives in different ways
You are dedicated and you cared
You helped build the foundation of UHS
And for that we are grateful.

Sometimes it appears that. . .

INSTRUCTIONS NOT INCLUDED

"Did I teach this? I thought I taught it, but looking at the test results, I have to wonder. . ."
This is the lament of many teachers. Students have their own view of the situation.



Erica, Chinaire and Lakisha don't need instructions for their favorite activity.



Do they really know what they are doing? LaQuan, Dapanique and Tashira.

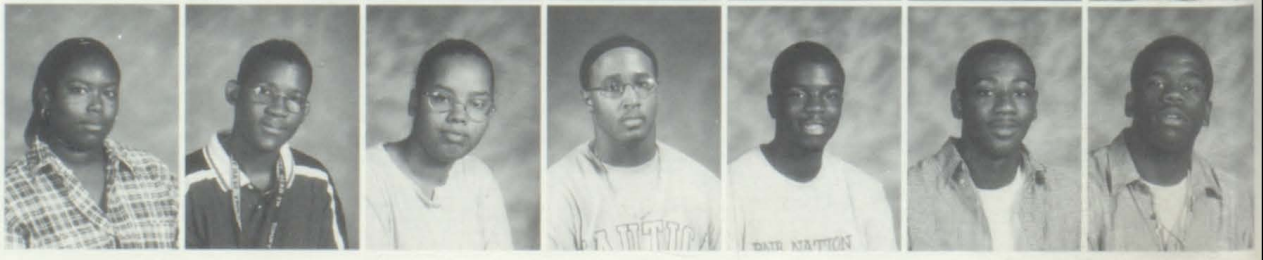
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Grace Anthony
Nadia Bangaroo
Ramar Begon
Sharan Bell
Bernard Bjorn



Prunella Booker
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Keona Bragg
Waleeah Brooks
Naimah Carson
Nazia Choudhury
Quian Christmas



Rayquelle Cotton
Brian Day
Nicole Deloatch
Alan Farmer
Kevin Feaster
Anthony Fearon
Derek Foster



Juniors



Nicole Freeman
Theo Freeman
Qwanna Garret
Gizele Gomes
Angelissa Grimes
Fantisha Harris
Michael Harris

Jasmine Hemmingway
Michael Hightower
Latosha Holland
Bashir Holman
L. Derek Holt
Tenisha Howard
Tony Jones

Crystal Kolden
Nelly Kouane
Shakeerah Lockhart
Tracy Lomax
Jennifer Lowery
Enid Martinez
Allen McCullers

Felicia McKoy
Erica Moore
Shontay Moore
Siree Morris
Troy Mullins
Quadire Neal
Jason Neils

Adaeze Nwachukwu
Kalil O'Neal
Aliyah Patterson
Tiffany Paylor
Corinne Rivers
Francina Radford
Michelle Peters

Herbert Perez
Latoya Robinson
Martin Roman
Arkee Russell
Shontae Scott
Danielle Scarborough
Kristopher Seals

Zahir Sowell
Brehita Taborn
Malikah Thomas
Shakima Thomas
Stephen Tolbert
Felton Vaughn
Luis Velez

Angela Vieira
Khalil Wesley
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Ebony Williams



Daniel Wilson
Kalimah Wilson
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Fatimah Winbush







Sophomores

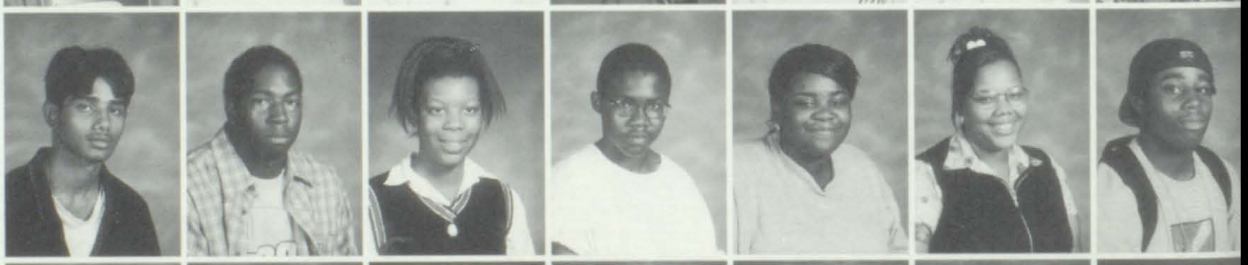
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Qiyana Brown
Jamil Burch
Eunice Busby
Demetrius Byrd



Ghalib Choudhury
Derek Cooper
Atrisha Corbett
Radee Covington
Unique Crowley
Nicole Curtis
Sharif Edwards



Gerdine Estivene
Monique Evans
Janella Fernandes
Eboni Filmore
Quentina Foster
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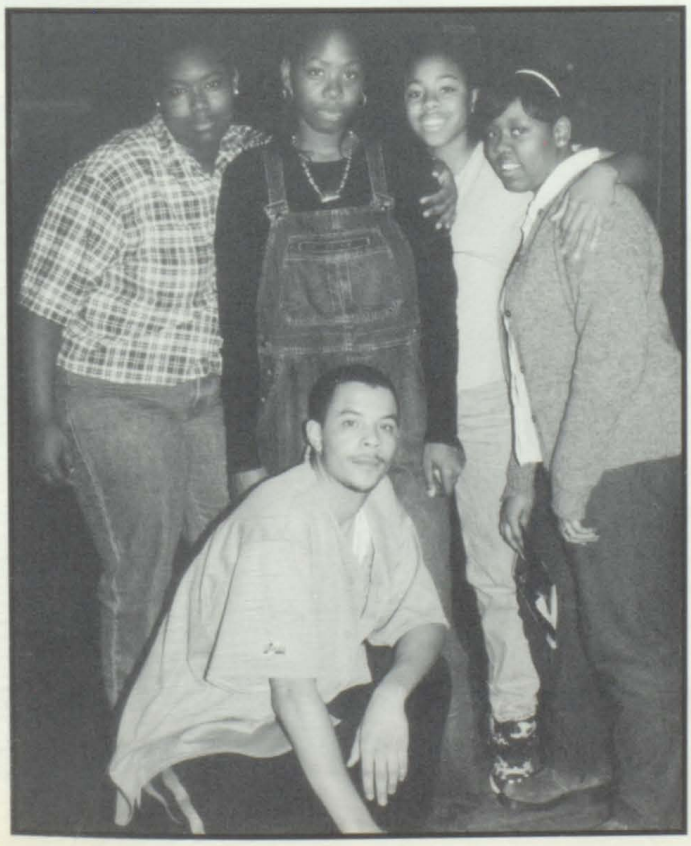
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Tiffany Lowery
Radha Maharaj
Rahmand Martin

Timothy Martin
Chavonne McCray
Al Nela McLeod
Sara Miller
Ja'nel Moody
Dana Moore
Niama-Nicole Morrison

Sakinah Muhammad
Jimmy Nazaire
Shauna Nelson
Salahudeen Norman
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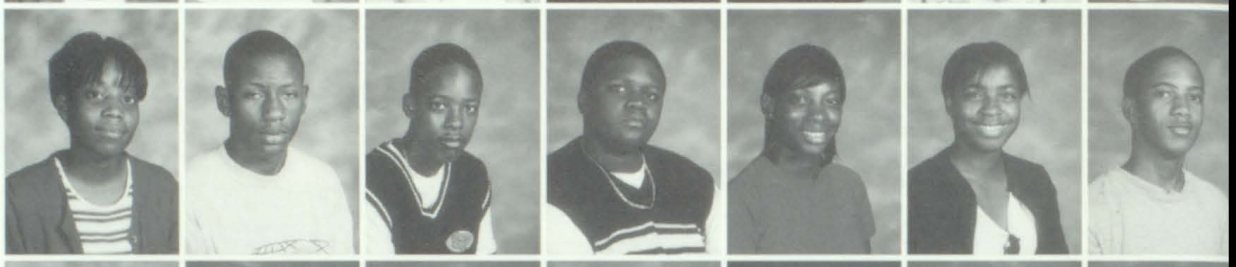
Jamie Zeno with his admirers: R. Cotton, M. Thomas, S. Thomas and W. Brooks.

All he ever needed to know, Quadir has learned in kindergarten: He plays well with friends, and doesn't run with scissors.

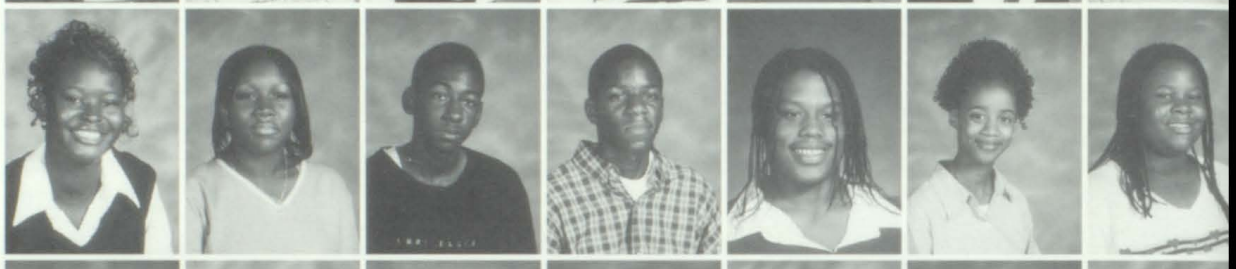
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Allen Spencer
Kaamilayah Staplar
Carolyn Stevenson
Lawrence Taylor



Linda Terry
Qiana Torrian
Gregory Truitt
Martin Vancol
Cassandra Walker
Shanta Wallace
Sherre-Ann Wallace



Ameer Washington
Kamal Welbeck
Yamesha Wheeler
Sadiyyah Williams
Tyree Williams
Dominique Wilson
Tierie Wilson



Savoyia Youngblood





A. Michel and Mrs. Clark discussing the 'Do Something' display to showcase Brazil.

Getting psyched for pictures: Q. Christmas, A. Patterson and D. Foster.



Rules are made to be broken

Caught IN THE ACT

That's what the seniors believe.
Or so it would seem, judging by the teachers and administrators.





Cards? Are those seniors playing cards in the cafeteria? Probably, but their secret is safe with us.

Oh, Ms. Edmonson - Is that student sleeping or merely resting her eyes?

Freshman



Safiya Abdus Sabur
James Acey
Katrina Adams
Florence Adegboyue
Donye Alexander
Christyal Anderson
Chanel Austin

Antoine Barber
Schnovey Barker
Jerren Battle
Jasmin Besson
Bashir Bivins
Hassanah Blake
Precious Booker

Janine Boyd
Dennis Bradley
Victoria Brannon
Jennifer Charles
Stephen Cochran
Jocelyn Coleman
April Cox

Eboni Crawford
Jason Culver
Na-Tasha Cunningham
Shantay Cureton
April Davis
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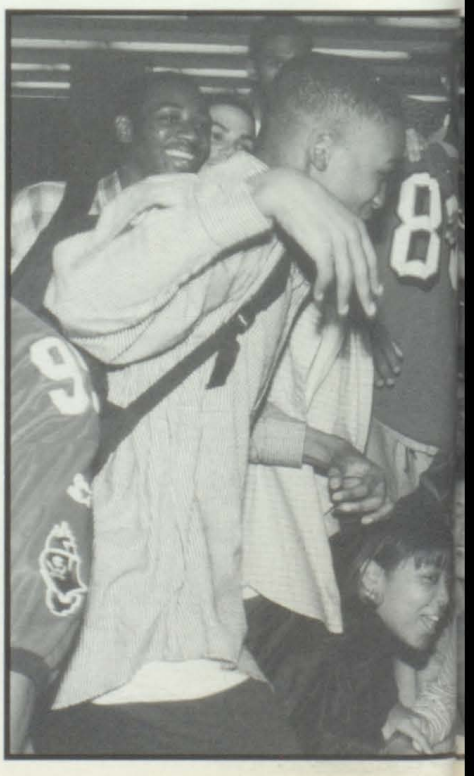
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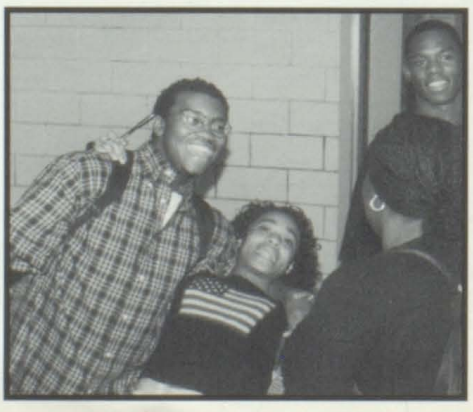
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Jamie Lopez









Students come in various modes: Some are studying, some are confering on college applications, and others still have time to play.



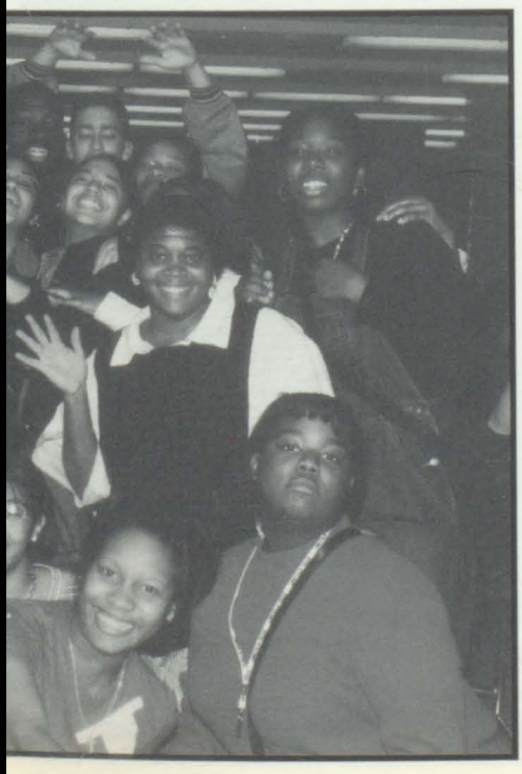
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Alysce Michel
Tiffany Miller
Christopher Moore

Sheereey Morris
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Sideeg Neard
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Shannon Normon
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Garcia Outlaw
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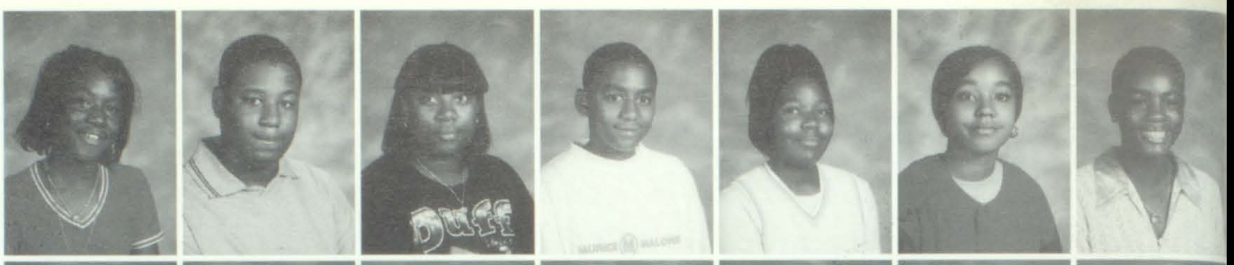




Cafeteria services have been privatized. We think the peeps like the change.

Busy hands make the time pass quicker. Eighth grade girlz hooking a pillow.

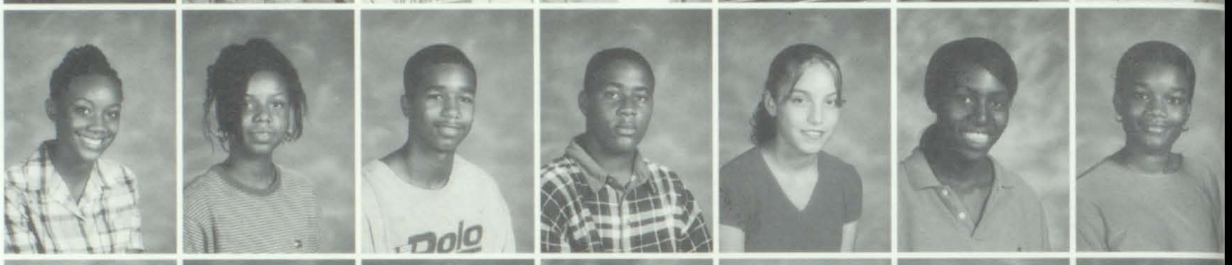
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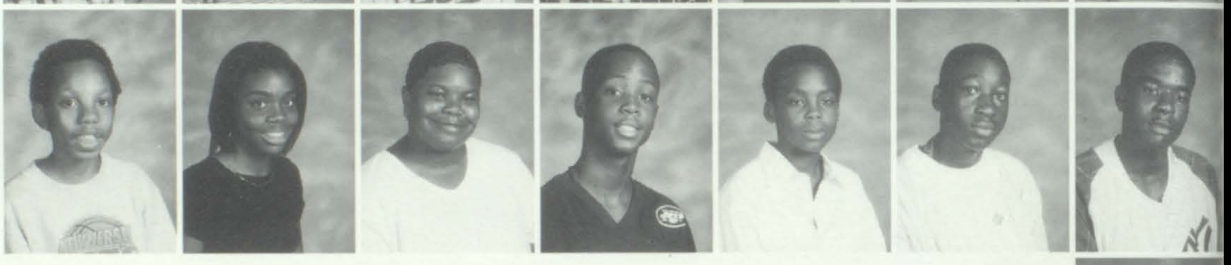
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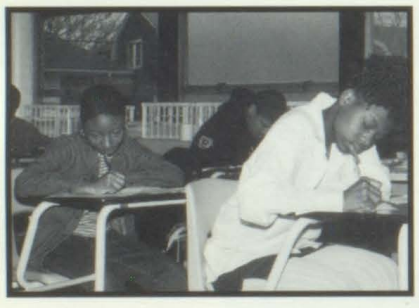
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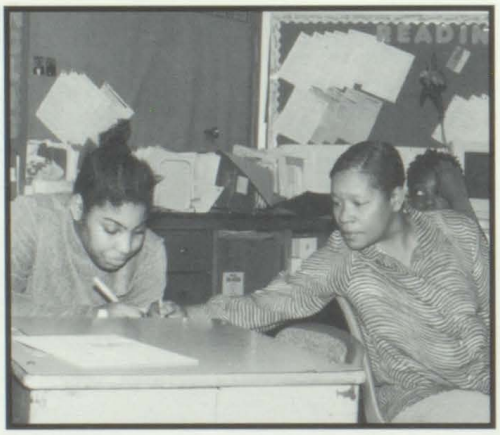
Yousuf Zafar







Busy with Mrs. Andrews assignment, these girls don't even have time to look up.

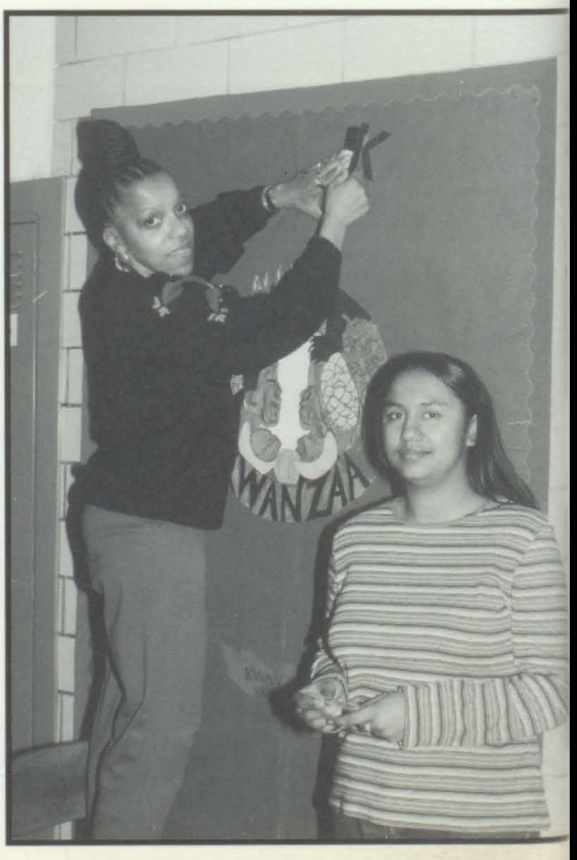


Always there to give a helping hand, Ms. Woodson tutoring A. Johnson.



Surrounded by exemplary work, Mrs. Gironda coaches S. Johnson on the finer points of essay writing.

Learning is more enjoyable in a beautified environment. Mrs. Sanford and A. Salam are working on a Kwanzaa bulletin board.



Gifted and Talented

MORE Than You'd Expect

Each year we wonder how they will be, and each year we are never disappointed by the new crop of seventh graders. They are gifted, and talented, and altogether eager. Welcome to the family.



We don't get it! K. Leary and M. Terry are giving the thumbs up sign as the band is practicing. But if they are that good, why the ear muffs on M. Liggins?





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Nazimuddin Ahmed
Thomas Alston
Crystal Andries
Shaniese Arrington
Ummar Awan
Ashlee Barnett

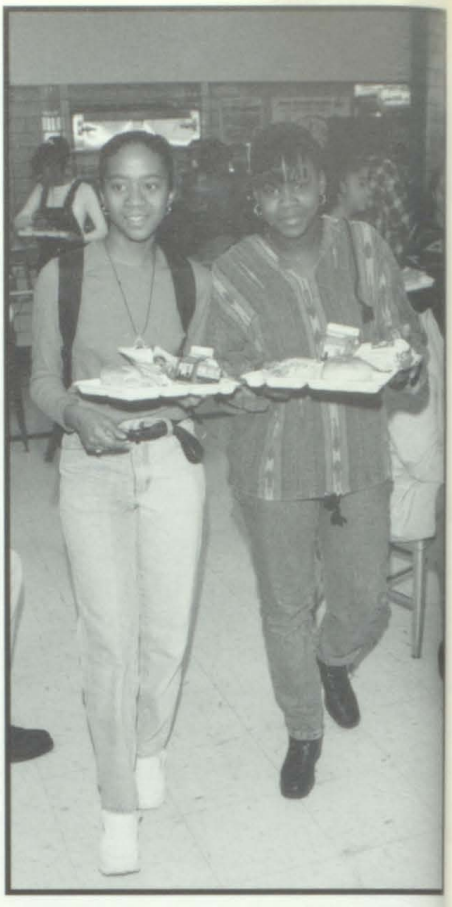
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Taheira Bradley
Mapletine Braswell
Amina Breeden
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Wagnor Checo

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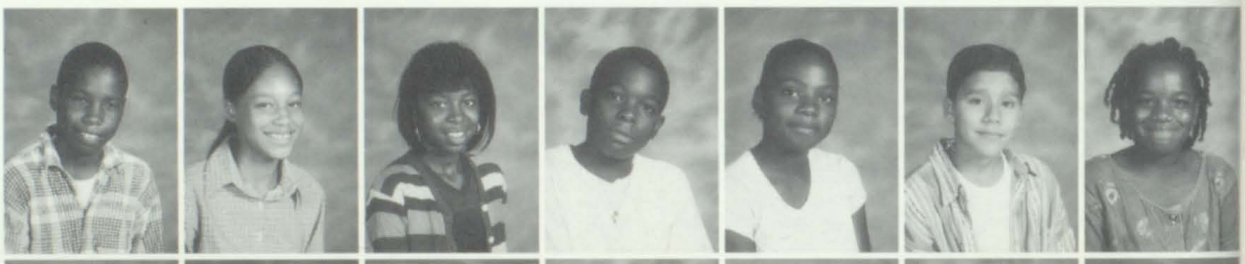


Getting ready for the pep-rally during sophomore year.

Naimah, Joy and Fatimah collaborating on the research assignment.

Uncle Mike watches hungrily as Nicole and Channel get their lunches.

Shakim Clark
Cobb-Jones Toahirah
Al-Jathiyah Coursey
Saigah Cummings
Rasheenah Cureton
George Delgado
Shane Dillard



Desiree Dorsey
Da Shawn Dwight
Krystal Feaster
Judith Figueroa
David Fortenberry
Sherry Fouad
Zaraina Frazier



Danielle Freeland
Sharaan Giles
Nicole Good
Tania Goode
Lydia Grant
Samad Green
Ebony Greene



Ashante Hallenbach
Damir Harris
Tia Hawk
Latoya Hedgespeth
Temir Hill
Arielle Holmes
Carlton Holmes





Could we ever have
been this young?

Simone Johnson was voted The Most in eighth grade. And here's the proof.





Tiffany Howard
Joya Ingalls
AShlee Johnson
Deidra Jones
Messiah Jones
Shanikah Jones
Cherelle Kelly

Sheldon Kelly
Lyndsay Kilpatrick
Treasure Kitchen
Katrina La Rue
Natasha Land
Raheem Lawhorn
Marquita Leonard

Shaneice Lewis
Reginald Louissaint
LaQuan Lucas
Lissette Luna
Jonathan Lythus
Jose Marrero
Vanessa Martinez

Kimeron McCombs
Shakir McDouglad
Nicole McQueen
Antiona Miller
Tanganiyka Mitchell
Kyle Morris
Lawrence Moss

Indera Nero
Chmwe Nwaigwe
Kia Oliver
Latoya Paige
Zarifa Raheem
Jocelyn Perez
Jessenia Ramirez

Eligie Ramos
Rukaiyah Ratchford
Andre Rawlins
Neffertina Redding
Chauncey Robinson
Leonel Rosario
Menilik Rutty

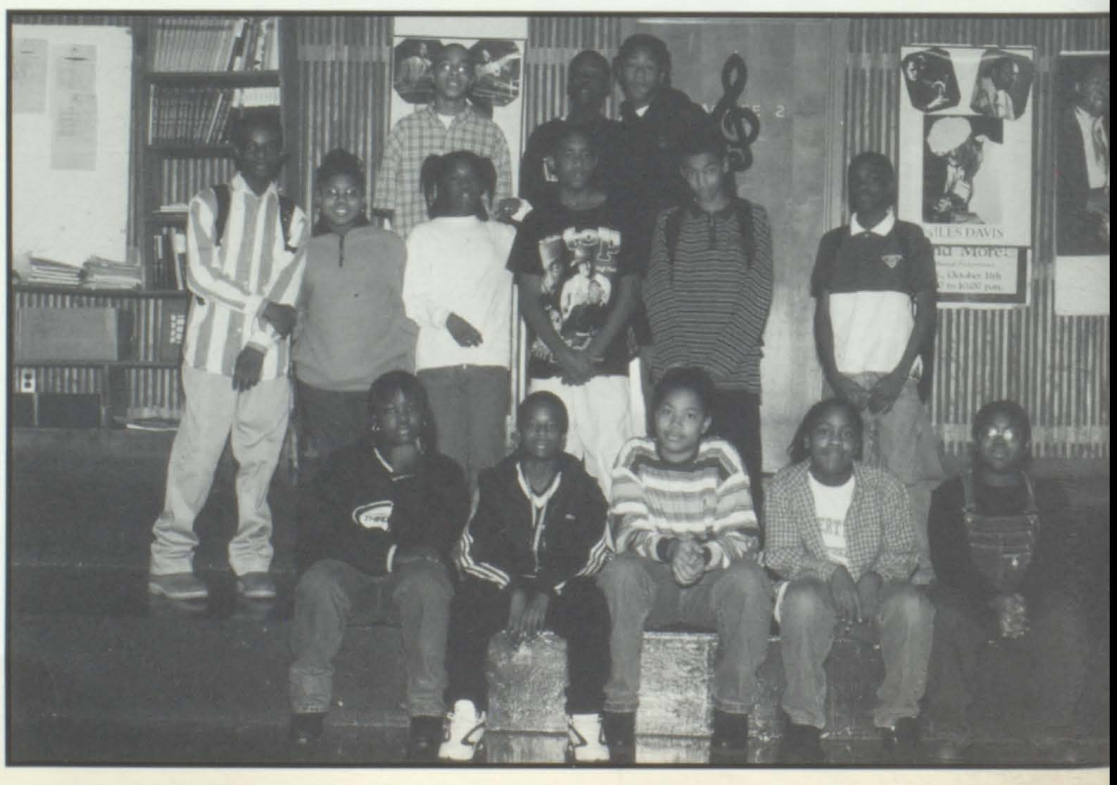
Jorge Santiago
Jasmine Smith
Kellye Smith
Jermin Spencer
Fredrick Stephens
Jonta Stevens
Shakera Stokes

Lakiah Terry
Andrew Thompson, Jr.
Jennifer Torres
Ulanda Tudor
Monique Van Dyke
Denise Washington
Jiquar Williams



Kyneisha Williams
Lenora Williams
Daniel Wilson
Ned Wogwugwu

Seventh and eighth graders mixing it up in the bandroom.





Putting The Pieces TOGETHER



Teachers for a Day: Enid and Angela taking the class through the paces.

This door eventually won first place in the Advisory Contest for Most Festive Door. S. Norman was one of several decorators.







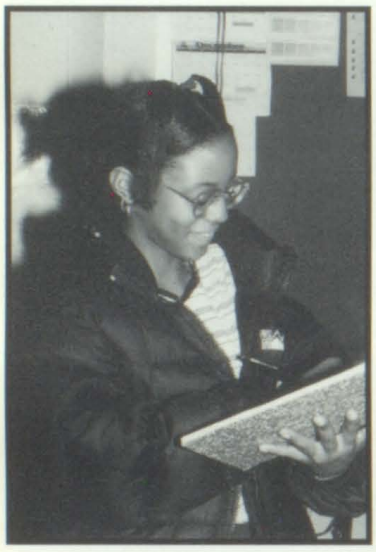
Time enough for all pursuits: Reading, writing and making friends.



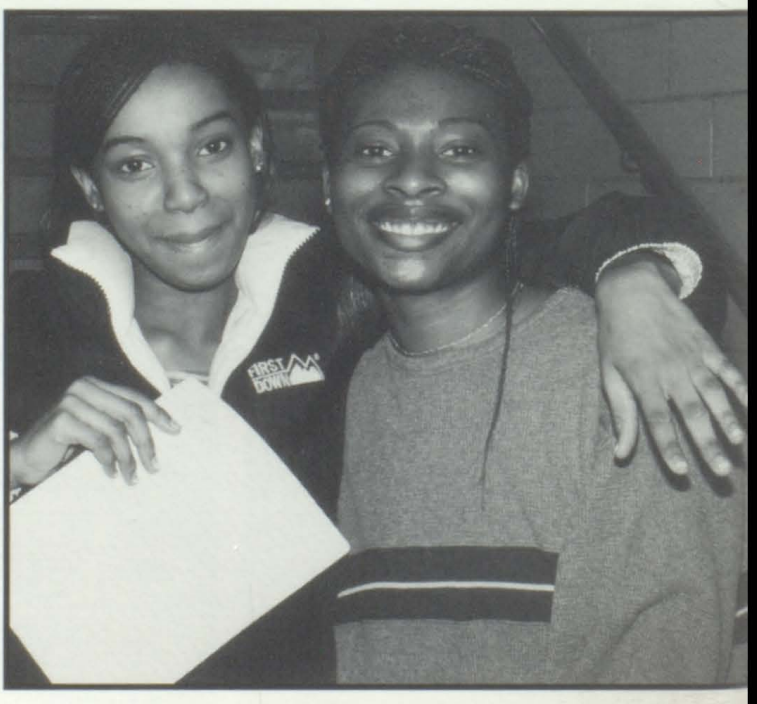


Chorus rehearsal under the able leadership of Ms. James gets everyone up and clapping.

Too ill to be in class, but too studious to miss an opportunity to learn.





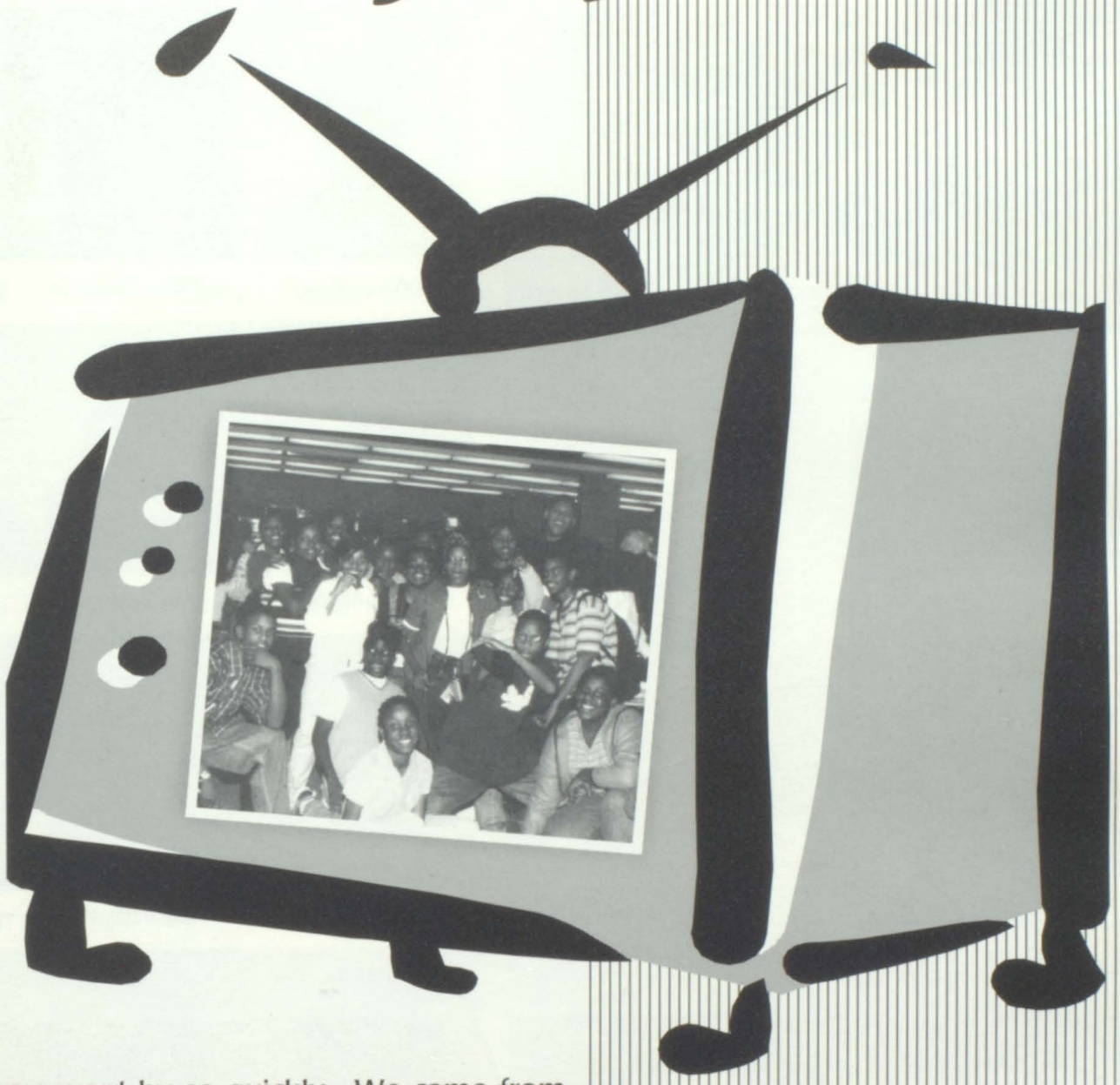


Two seventh graders know the importance of working in teams.

N. Kwaume and S. Thomas encouraging each other. You go Girlz!



27 The Young and Restless



2 years went by so quickly. We came from many elementary schools, each one afraid of what we will find and experience here. Will we make friends, will the work be too hard, will our teachers like us, and recognize in us our uniqueness?

Our fears were quickly quelled, and we made friends, got to know our teachers and settled down to the hard work of UHS. We discovered the extra curricular benefits at Big Uni, and participated in them.

And now it's time to say good-bye. Many of us will be returning to UHS, several of us will not. But we will stay friends forever, each carrying our own memories, ***through our own eyes***.

Meet the Leaders



Al -Tariq Bell



Al-Nisa Bernabela

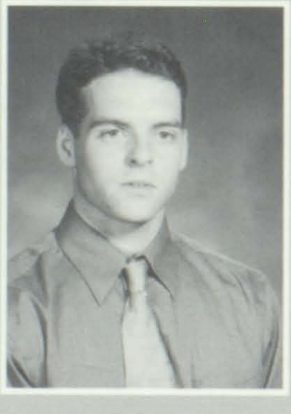


Yvonne Kariuki



Sharonda Melvin

Mr. Chris Welch, Advisor



Today is tomorrow's memory. Don't waste it, don't take it for granted or wish it away because it is never coming back. If you make the most of it and accomplish all that you can, you will avoid regrets.

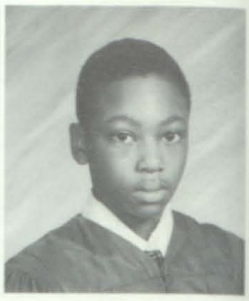
If today you have troubles, remember they won't last, and tomorrow will have its own- so don't worry, and have faith today.



Desmond Abrams



Tiffany Allison



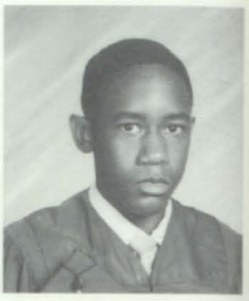
Malcolm Andries



Naiya Atkins



Irvin Banks



Edny Baptista



Shanta N. Barnes



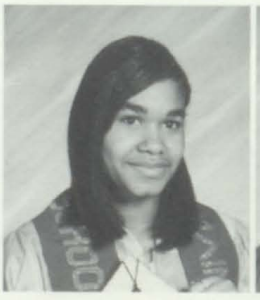
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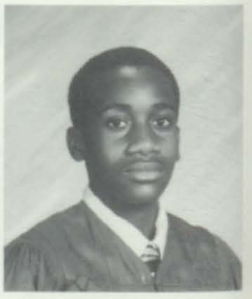
Tiffany Boughton



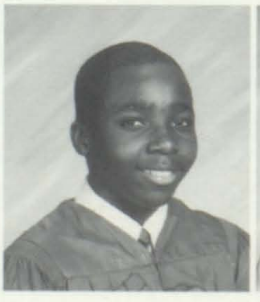
Amirah Branch



Donna Brown



John E. Brown



Willie Brown



Kareen Bruce



Keila Catching



Anderson Charles



Emmanuella Charles



Shamarr Cohen



Khalil Coleman



Kiana Collins



A. Crowder-Cummings



Johnathan Davis



Taraiya Dodd



Asiah N. Ellis



Patrice Ellis



Tiffany Fields



Nicole Finnie



Jessica Foard



Leah Frazier



Amanda Gaderon



Casandra Gaderon



Pattryce Gardner



Elijah Gerald



John Hall



Kendall Hall



Trazana Hall



Camille Henriques



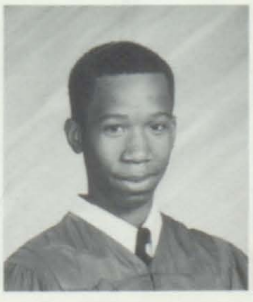
Starkeia Hilton



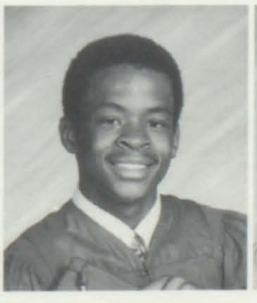
Amirah Hollenback



Ebony Holmes



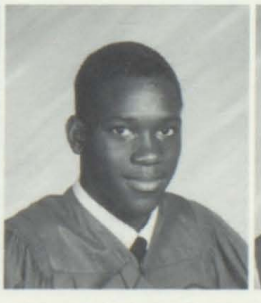
Tarae Howell



Darryl Jackson



Catrina James



Antoine Johnson



Brelle Johnson



Darryl Johnson



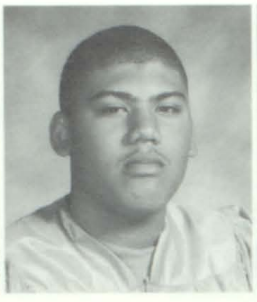
Nicole Jones



Tyeisha Jones



Maria Jovel



Jameel Khan



Razia Khawaja



Dana Knowles



Jeannie Laguerre



Judelie Laguerre



Claudia Lee



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Tamra Leveridge



Shakirah Lewis



Latoya Loyal



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Aileen Mack



Nisha Maharaj

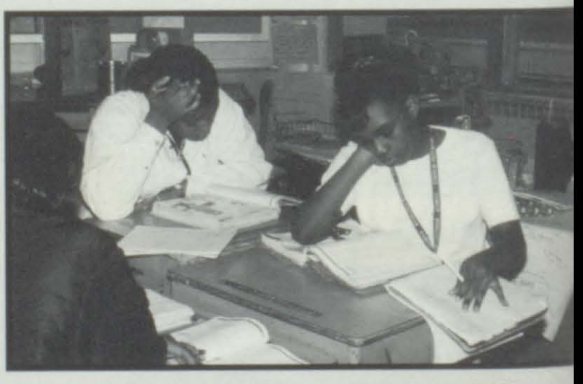


Curtis Manley

Santa's helpers Camille H., Nisha M., Nicole F., and Jessica F enjoy a little bit of the Christmas season.



Ameerah B. in Ms. Edmonson's social studies class studying hard.

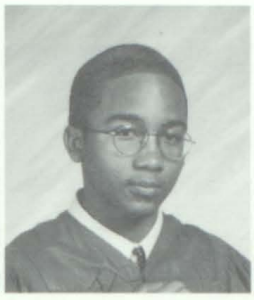




Elijah and Claudia L. in Ms. Edmonson's Language Arts class, not doing the right thing, as usual.



Mia Marquez



Antwan Mason



Vincent Mayers



Darius Mayes



Tanisha Mays



Letitia McClendon



E'Toshia McFarland



Tiffany McKoy



Kareem Meliani



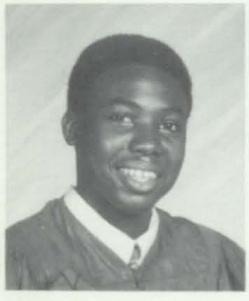
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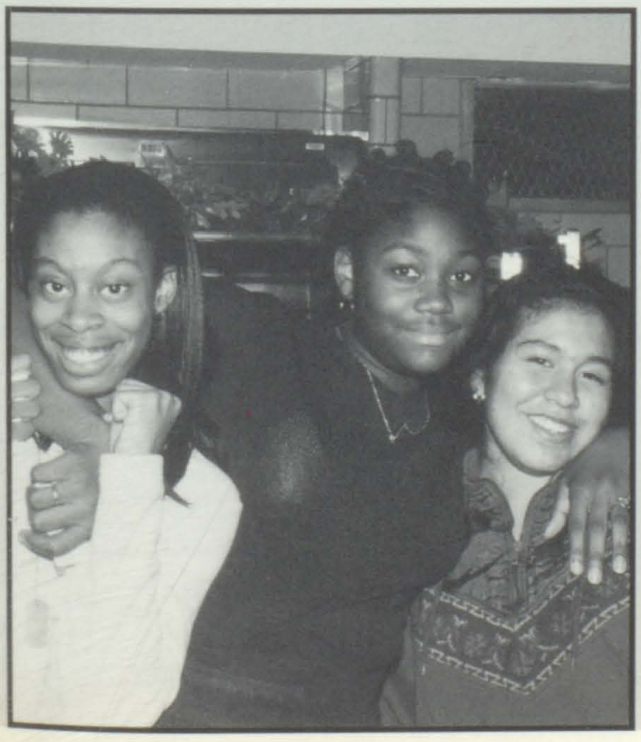
Samirah Parrish

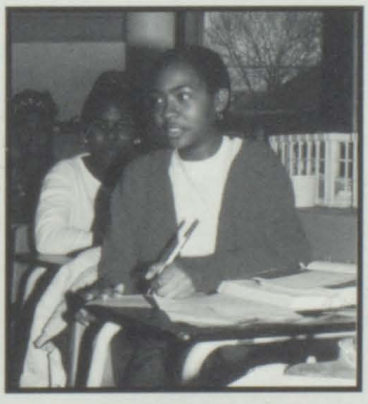


Laquana Peterson



Oshaira Pichardo





Jennifer M. and Tanisha M. takin' notes and chillin' in Mr. Moore Science Class.

Kareen B., E'Toshia M. and Maria J. feeling much relieved after the dreaded GEPA Tests.



Tracey Prince



Thomas Reyes



Kareem Richardson



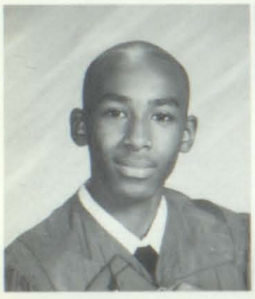
Erin Rivers



Keyana Ruth



Yvette Shelton



Keith Singleton



Clint Stokes



Jennifer Taylor



Tracey P., Erin R., E'Toshia M. and Kareen B. lend support to each other at the completion of the Speaking Test.



Yusef Thomas



Chonte Thompson



Latoya Vaden



Sharae Ward



Phillip West



Tritina Whitehead



Kacia E. Wilks



Adia Williams



Kevin Williams



Patricia Williams



Jennifer Williamson



Nakiya Wray

MILLENNIAL Inspiration



In the new Millennia,

we're going to need all our friends



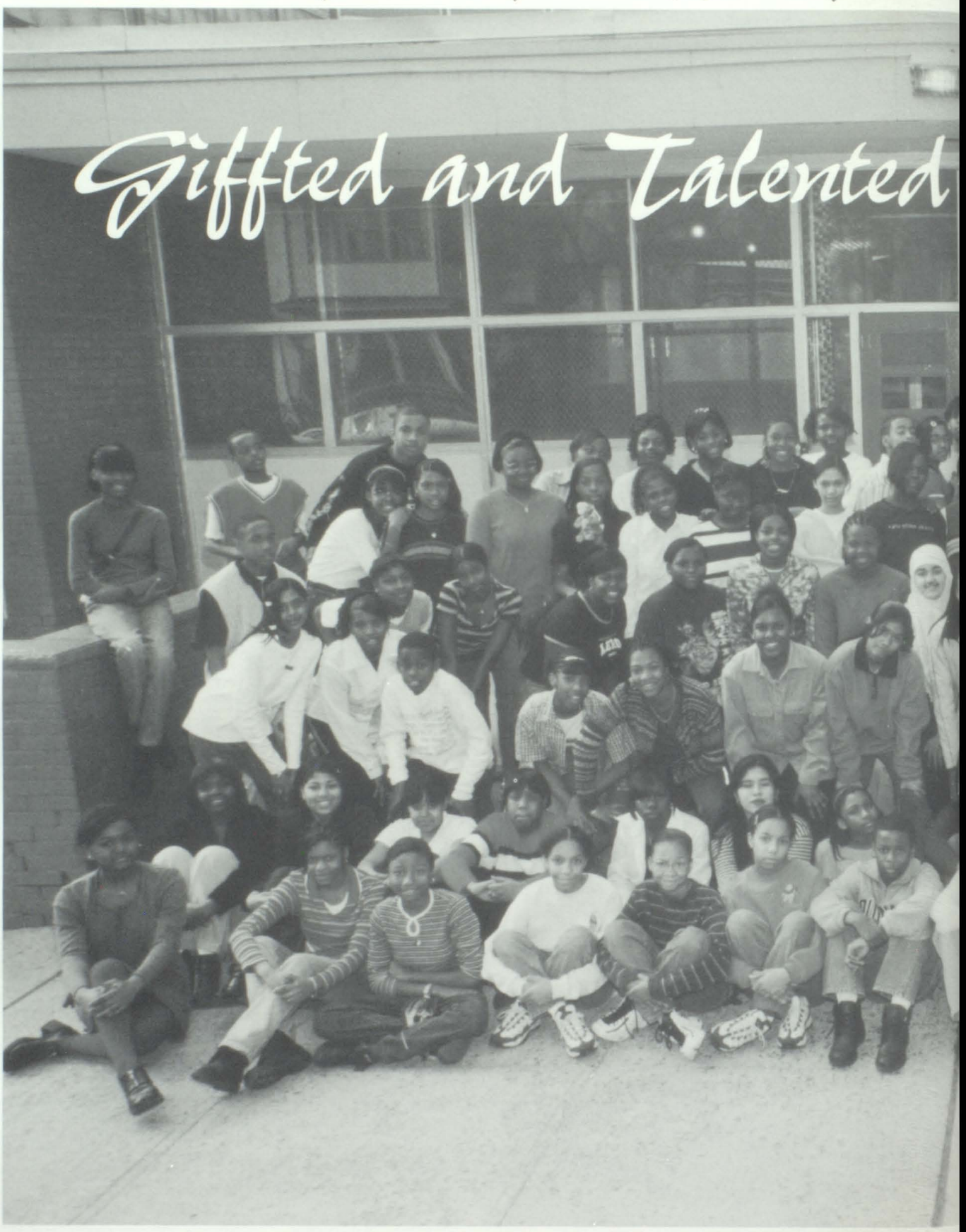


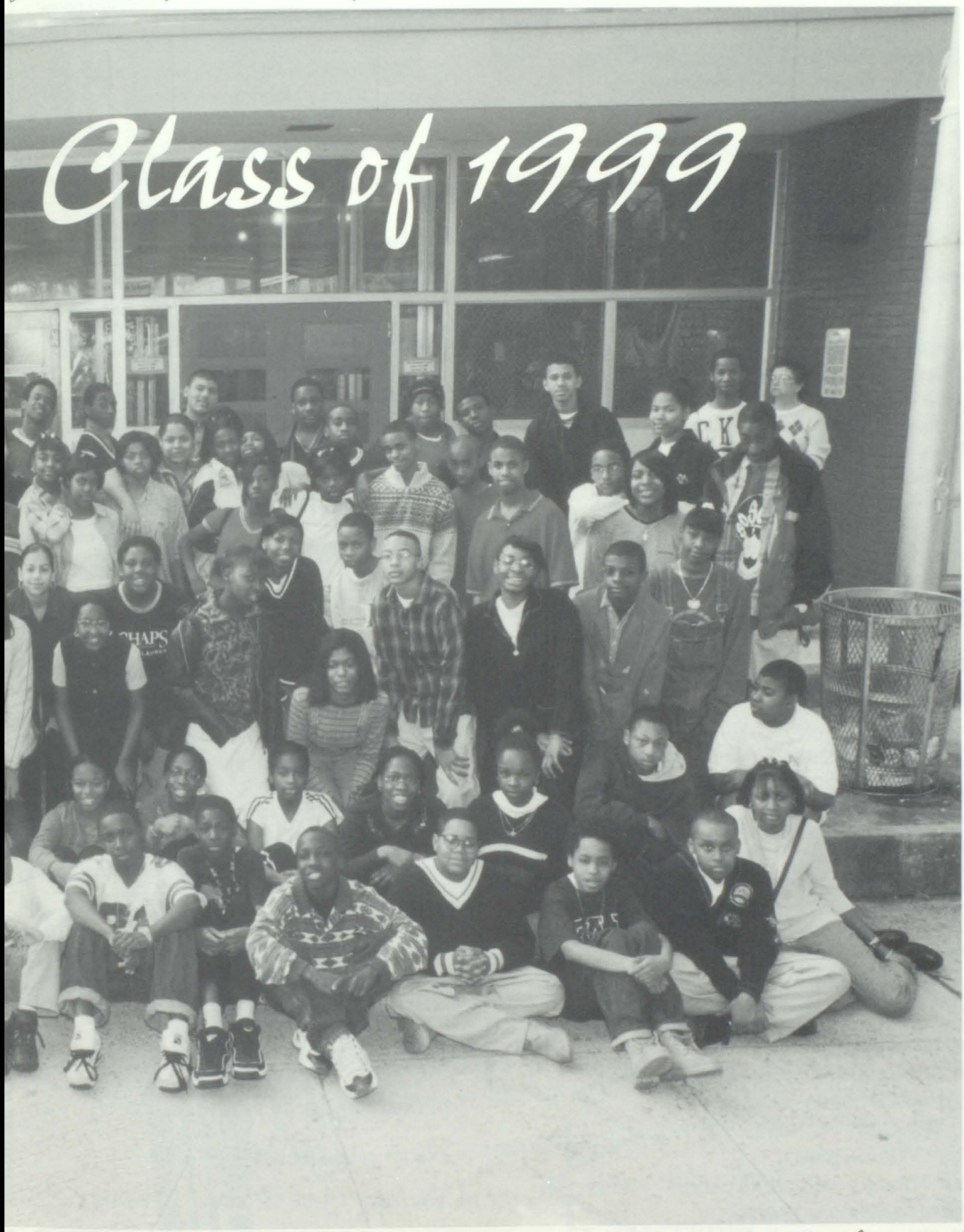






Gifted and Talented




Class of 1999

Keila P. Catching – Obstetrician
Emmanuella Charles – Lawyer
Kareen Bruce – pediatrician
Anderson Charles – Doctor
Shamarr Cohen – NBA Basketball player
Willie Brown – NFL Football player
Patrice M. Ellis – Cosmetologist
Amirah Crowder – Successful
Khalil Coleman – psychiatrist
Johnathan Davis – Computer programmer
Kiana Collins – Singer
Nicole Finnie – Anesthesiologist

Camille Henriques – Psychiatrist
Tarae Howell – Teacher
Amirah Hollenback – Lawyer
Kendell Hall – Game designer
John Hall – Scientist
Elijah Gerald – Football player
Starkeia Hilton – Musical entertainer
Ebony Holmes – Model
Tiffany D. Field – Singer
Casandra Gaderon – Pediatrician

Amand Gaderon – Psychiatrist
Jessica Foard – Attorney
Pattryce Gardner – Psychologist
Leah Frazier – Singer
Razia Khawaja – Professor
Nicole Jones – Model
Dana Knowles – Writer
Jeannie Laguerre – Meteorologist
Judelie Laguerre – OB/GYN
Maria Jovel – Architect
Brielle Johnson – Carpenter
Claudia Lee – Doctor

Caterina James – pediatrician
Tyeisha Jones – Accountant
Jameel Khan – Video game designer
Antoine Johnson – Basketball player
Yvonne Kariuki – Trauma Doctor
E'toshia McFarland – Dancer
Letitia McClendon – Surgeon
Lissette Luna – Lawyer
Curtis Manley – Doctor
Tamra Leveridge – Pediatrician
Darius Mayes – Basketball player

Vincent mayers – Physical Therapist
Antwan Mason – Accountant
Kareen Meliani – Stopck Broker
Shakirah Lewis – Nurse
Mia Marquez – criminal lawyer
Tanisha Mays – Cosmotologist
Jennifer Mine – Plastic surgeon
Nisha Maharaj – Beautician
Sharonda Melvin – Lawyer

Latoya Loyal – nurse
Tiffany McKoy – Lawyer
Tanisha Miller – Pediatrician
Aileen mack – Lawyer
Samirah Parrish – Pediatrician
Erin Rivers – Musician
Tracey Prince – Pediatric anesthesiologist
Kareem Richards – Rap Artist
Derrick Moultrie – Basketball player

Latoya Parker – Prenatal Nurse
Latricia Monroe – Cosmetologist
Tritina Whitehead – Doctor
Adia Williams – Actress
Nakiya Wray – model
Yusef Thomas – Football player
Patricia Williams – Lawyer
Keith Singleton – Football Player
Phillip West – Football player

We wish all the graduates
the very best of fortunes
in the future.
We hope that all your dreams
will come true.

Last Will and Testament

Being of sound mind, and generous of spirit, we leave the following to our teachers:

Mrs. Andrews – Many recited poems.

Sra. Lopez – New Spanish Lessons

Mr. Starks – A clean classroom and new instruments

Mr. Moore – Another 8th grade like us.

Mrs. Johnson – Some cooking equipment.

Mrs. Edmonson – We leave the Drama Queen Award.

Mr. Pagan – A space to teach at UHS

Mr. Charles – Good health and all our blessings.

Mr. Fahmy – Retirement papers.

Mr. Piazza – More opportunities to say "Break Time."

Mrs. Howard – Her father's attitude.

Ms. Hewett – A class which is always prepared.

Mrs. Roche – A few new root words.

Ms. Hall – An *Energizer* battery for your voice.

Mrs. Jackson – More creative students.

Ms. James – More harmonious students.

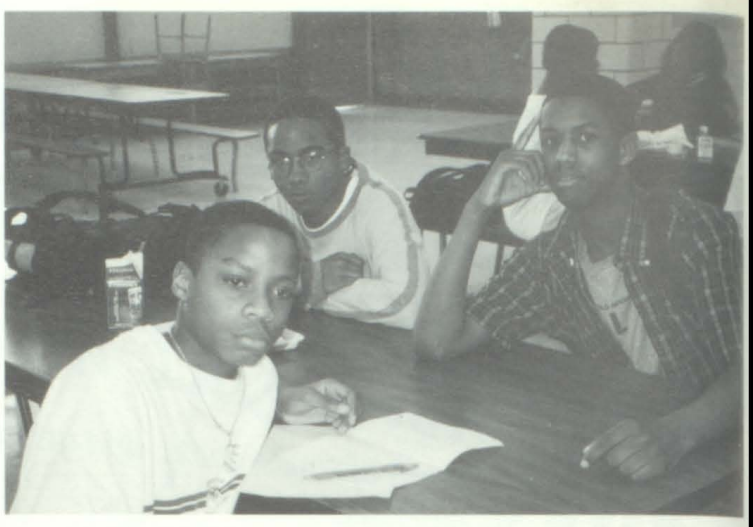
Mrs. Eckstein – Students who know the library.

Office Clerks – Helpful announcements.

Dr. Brown – More conference slips.

UHS – We leave a new, and improved school, thanks to us.

Gathering her thoughts before the Speaking Portion of the GEPA, Tanisha Miller will need to speak on Happiness.





It is still quite, not everyone has arrived for breakfast, but Kareem Richardson, Antwan Mason and Kevin Williams are preparing for the day's lessons.



Patricia has all ready finished her burger, and is encouraging Kevin to chow down.



Just waiting for their table to be called for lunch, the gang entertains themselves.

The announcement was very clear: Food may not be taken out of the cafeteria, but Kendall Hall and Malcolm Andries have their own rules.



Quiet as he may be, Anderson Charles is surrounded by lovely young women: The Laguerre twins and Adia Williams.



It's a double period, language arts, and all eyes are on Mrs. Andrews.

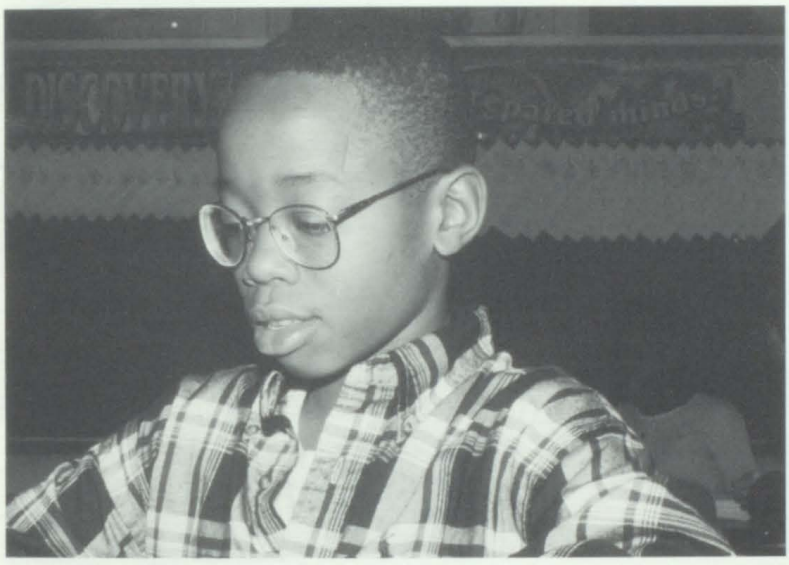




Kudos go to the cafeteria divas: Naiya Atkins and E'Toshia McFarland.

Seeing is believing: Elijah Gerald acting like a real student.

Sharing a power lunch are Laquana and Taraiya Dodd.





Most common excuses students give for not doing their homework.

What Happened to Your Homework???



Desmond Abrams: "Well, I left it at my father's house."



Darius Mayes: "I didn't even know we had homework!"



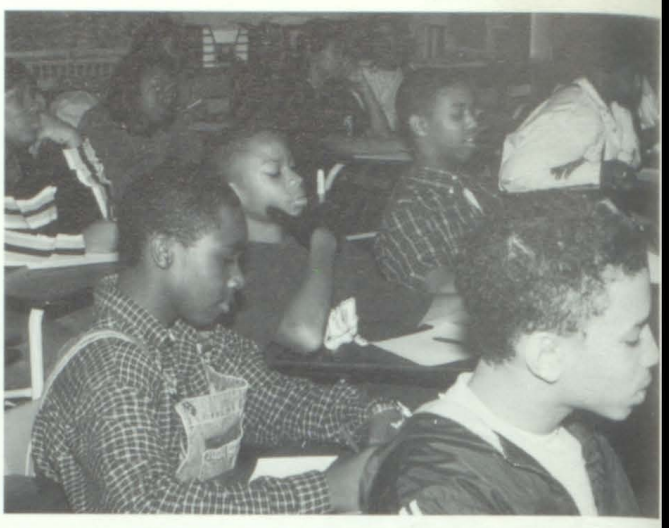
Shanta Barnes: "I did it, but I left it home."



Pattryce Gardner: "I was too busy smiling with Elmo to get my homework done."



Brelle Johnson without a reading book? Impossible.



"Romeo, Romeo, Wherefore art thou Romeo?" That's the question in Ms. Howard's Honors English class.



Shamarr Cohen is hoping that the answer is written on the ceiling. But Curtis Manly and Anderson Charles know it isn't.

"Show us your nails, everybody" But we only got a few takers.





Shay Barnes gets on his mark. He must be athletic, his aunt is the gym teacher.



Claudia Lee and E'Toshia McFarland look pleased. They must have gotten a good grade from Mr. Moore.

41 One Life to Live



A great man once said that the only difference between you today and you one year from today will be the good deeds you've done and the associations you've made. The student and the staff of University have had quite a year. We have shown the country, the state and our own community that we are a school of action. We have met our social, academic, creative as well as civic duties throughout the year and in the process enhanced school spirit..

Favorite Comedian



Chris Tucker | Martin Lawrence | Eddie Murphy | Eddie Griffin

The Total Knockout Extravaganza fashion show, an it was really goin'on!



Friends

It's a Beautiful Thing



Best Friends

T. Boughton, Y. Kariuki, N. Atkins, S. Hilton, K. Larue, A. Barnett, R. Ratchford, A. Williamson, A. Johnson, A. Beck, S. Burks, T. Brown, T. Howard, E. Holmes, K. Ruth, L. Monroe, S. Arrington, A. Anderson, L. Grant, J. Ingalls, M. Leonard, T. Mays, S. Melvin, J. Smith, S. Campbell, A. Couisey, T. Allison, K. Oliver, T. Braswell, T. Hall. Advisor: Mrs.L. Melvin



Ethnic Awareness/Latin Dance Group

J. Gilbert, M. McDonough, S. Samreen, B. Taborn, G. Torres, S. Lockhart, E. Ruiz, W. Rosebure, R. Cotton, A. Padilla, O. Fawole, R. Foluke, C. Austin, L. Amaro, M. Methos, N. Kouame, J. Zeno, T. Nelson, R. Johnson, A. McLeod, J. White, T. Freeman, S. Heard, S. Morris. Advisors: Ms. G. Sandord and Mrs.Q. Rivera-Cruz



Practicing for the good life of seniors, the juniors are starting to get ideas.

"I'll eat it if you eat" Al-Jamar, Michelle and Jasonn daring each other to partake of the privatized lunch.

James Gilbert listenin' to Hot 97





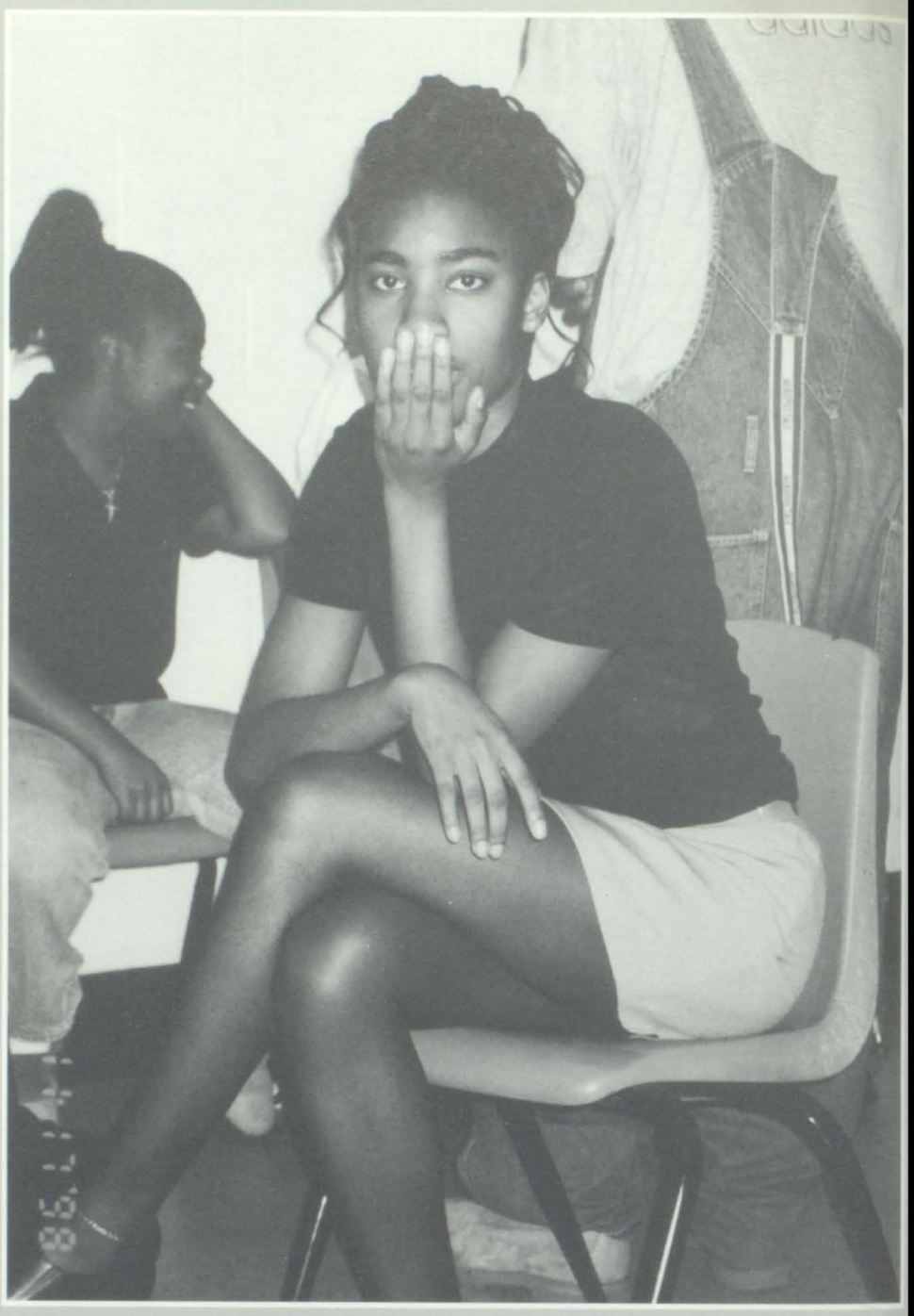




Stephanie F. and Di'jon J. as "The Odd Couple."

Eighth graders at lunch. Compare with seniors at lunch, above.







Kamillah C. trying to calm her pre-concert jitters.

Anticipation glows in Al-Jamar's eyes.



Chinaire F. and Natash H. can't wait to take the picture, and get down to some serious lunch.



Seventh graders getting advice and freebies at the UMD sponsored Health Fair.

Nashid K. pumping to get buff for the Navy.



Law & Order

As Seen On Channel WUHS



Student Leadership

L. Peterson, S. Foard, A. Patterson, R. Johnson. Advisor: Mrs. M. Howard



Close Up

L. Guilford, R. Hines, R. Johnson, J. Martin, D. Serwar, T. Perry. Advisor: Mrs. P. Wing.

As the Fashion World Turns

Into the Future



Future Physicians

M. Spates, T. Homes, N. Parker, T. Paylor, U. Crowley, R. Johnson, S. Youngblood, V. Louissaint, K. Staplar, L. Hull. Advisor: Ms. D. Rojy.



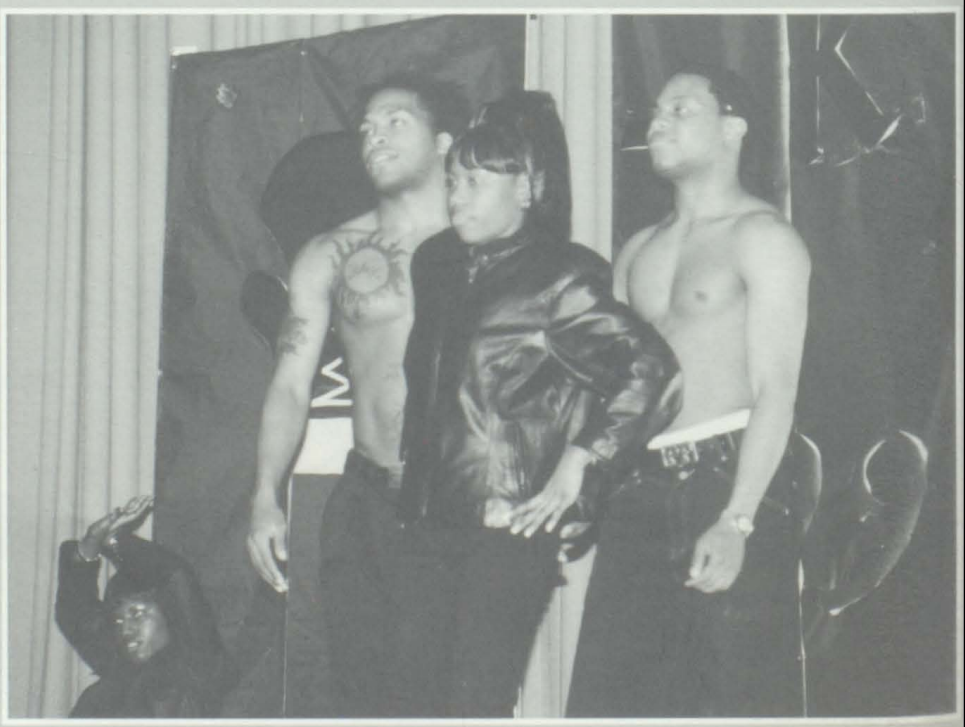
Computer Club

J. Charles, J. Spencer, E. Ruiz, M. Spates, C. Killingsworth, T. D. Lawrence, P. Booker, Y. Kariouki, L. Kincy, G. Estivene, C. Stephenson, R. Torain, Z. Haywood, P. Reyes, R. Johnson, C. Negron, T. Wilson. Advisory: Mr. DeStefano.



Who dressed Boyfriend? Jasonn D. lovin' it

Stephanie E. showing the guys how it's done.





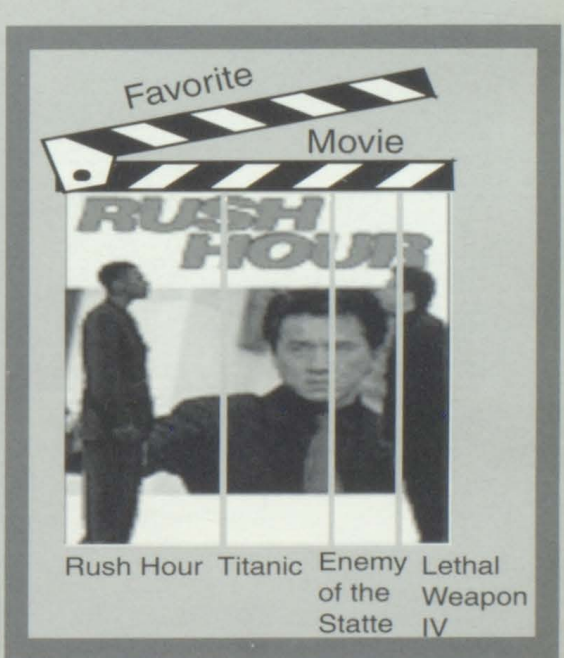
Showing the zebras a thing or two are Abby L., Tyrone D. and Erica G.

A Walk on the Wild Side with Rabiah T. and K. Hurt.

The guys pooling their money together to buy a ticket to the Total Knockout Extravaganza.







Yearbook

Y. Weems, N. Neal, M. Dextra, S. Johnson, F. Sowell, Z. Haywood, R. Torain, O. Fawole, N. Mathis, M. Rivera, N. Campbell, M. Hardy, K. Hurt, C. Way, T. Nelson, G. Hiliard, J. Denard, A.Van Dyke, S. Foard, K. Peterson.



Literary Magazine

J. Spencer, A. Longchamp, A. Dony, P. Booker, J. Charles, C. Negron, U. Crowley, S. Brantley, N. Dyer, S. Heard, R. Johnson, L. LeBlanc, T. Paylor, N. Curtis. Advisor: Mrs. M. Wawak.

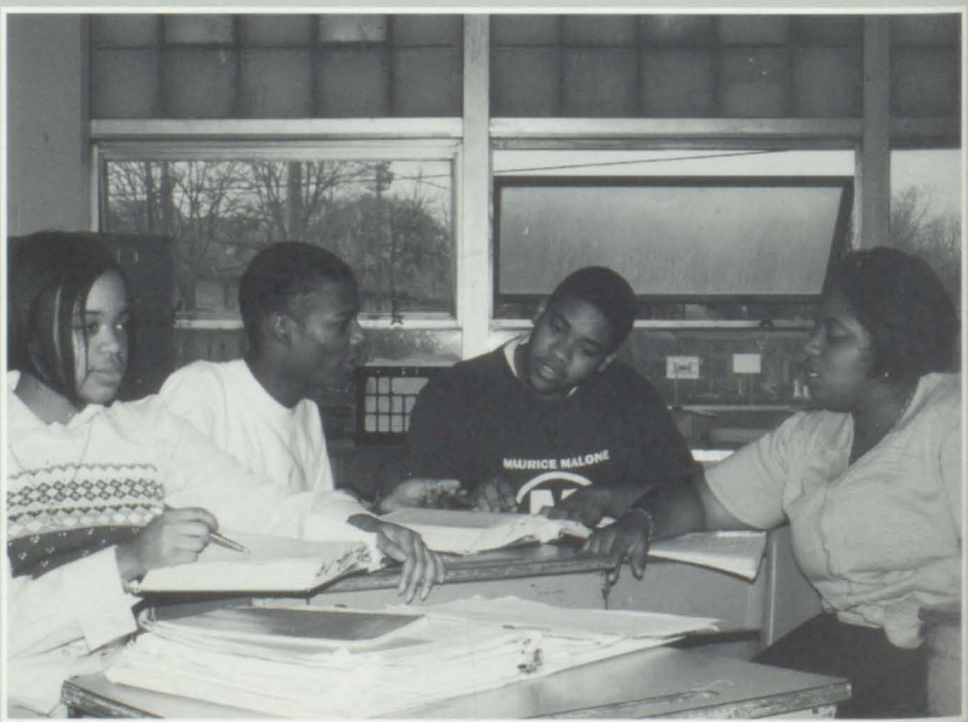


We Too, Try to Publish

Just Shoot Me



Seventh graders are on the ball as they work on an assignment for Mrs. Andrew's class.



Aquila daydreams as Nashid , LaQuan and Remy focus in on the work at hand.



Senior girlz are done arguing about the fashion show flyer. Finally!!!

It looks friendly, but Ken really just wants Karri's seat!

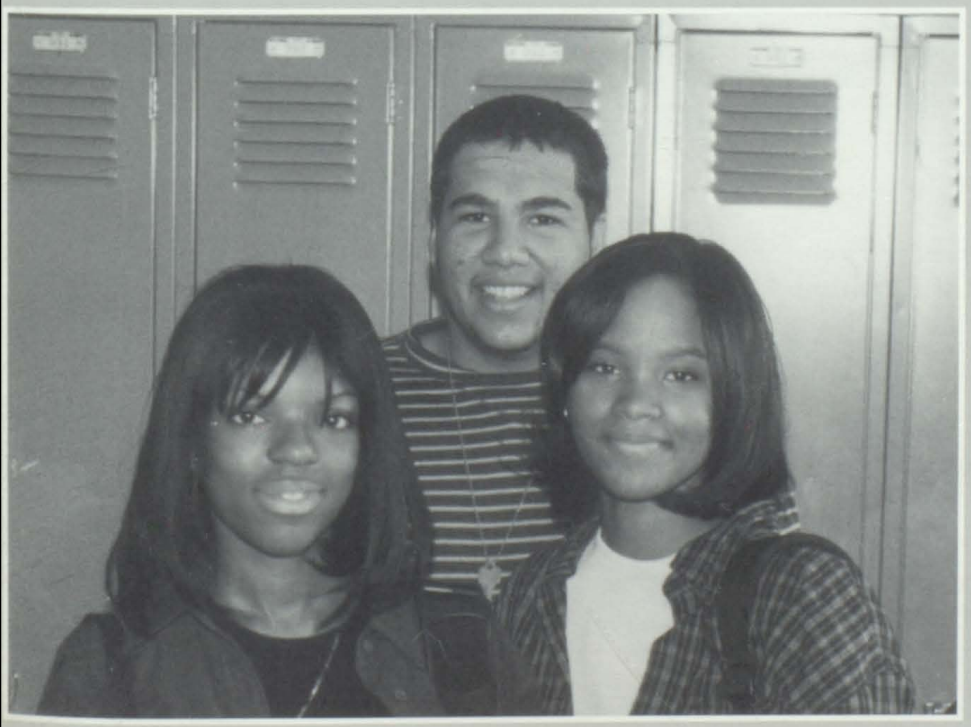
Will time stand still for Chanel now that she's eighteen? Happy Birthday, Girl!

Rabiah Torain gets a real laugh when they tell her that graduation has been post-poned until July..











Is there anyway we can avoid going to Mr. Woodlands class?! Joy P. , Natasha D, and Dwayne are plotting again.











"Strut Your Stuff!" Stephanie Edwards knocks 'em dead at the Extravaganza.

"Quit worrying, it will be the best Senior Night Reception ever," promise members of the Junior Class.

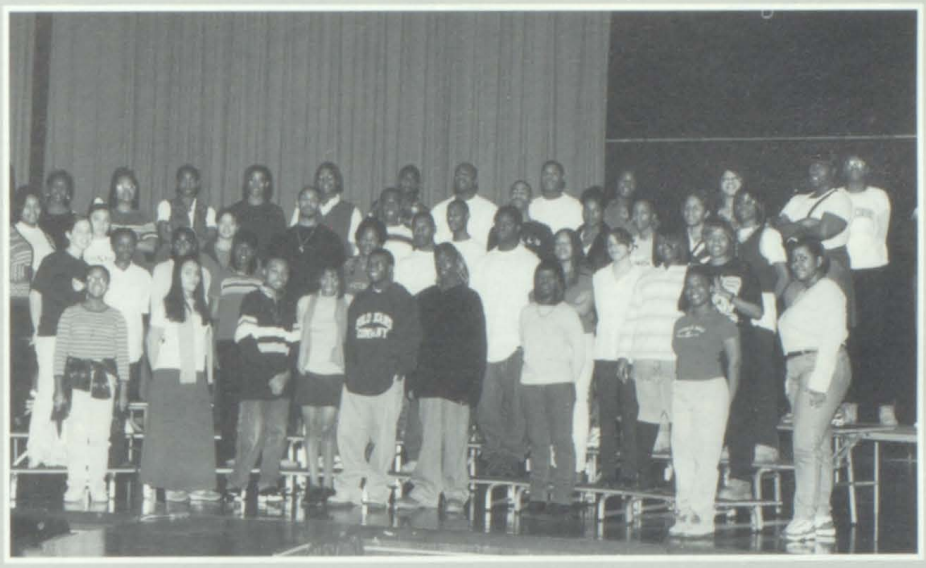
The computerized infants are clean, diapered and ready for Project Baby Think It Over.

Mr. Starks works with the UHS band for the Holiday performance.



Getting ready for the concert, the Chorus practices a very important skill: smiling.

Who bloodied Adrienne McLeod and left her in the phone booth? Murder Mystery Night brought out the sleuths.



Acting Lessons

Watch for them on your TV



Speech Debate

E. Williams, R. Johnson, L. Robinson, J. McMillan, N. Mathis, S. Searcy, A. Nwachukwu, F. Harris. Advisor: Mrs. J. White.



Thespians

C. Austin, L. Robinson, J. Charles, P. Booker, R. Johnson, E. Williams, D. McKoy. Advisor: Mrs. J. White.







Practicing for a segment of the Winter Concert, and having fun.

True Grit

Be the Best That You Can Be





National Honor Society

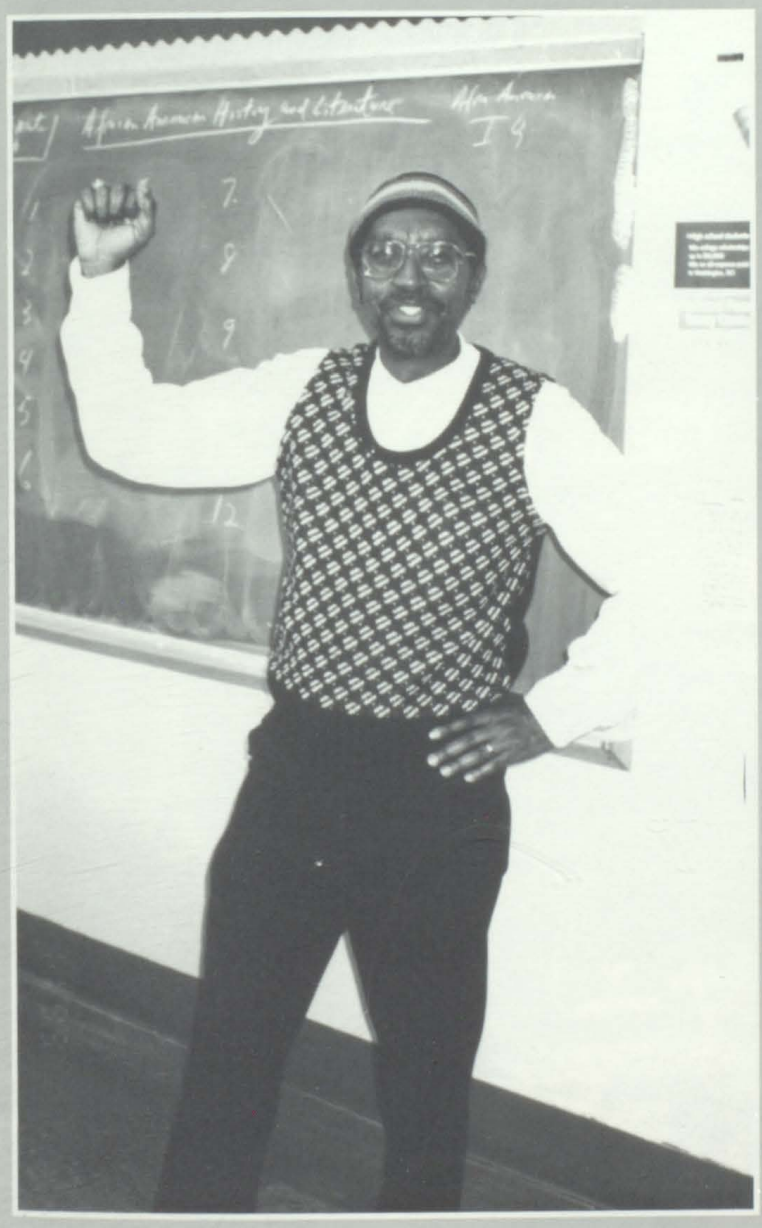
N. Choudhury, N. Neal, N. Campbell, M. Hardy, S. Foard. Advisor: Mrs. G. Barrington Jackson.

Double Dutch

A. Barnett, S. DeBose, V. Martinez, A. Gaederon, C. Gaederon, L. Frazier, A. Williams, T. Miller, E. McFarland, A. Beck, A. Johnson, S. Arrington, K. Catching, T. Jones, E. Charles, M. Owens. Advisor: Mrs. J. James.







If it's February it's Black History Month, and Mr. Woodland is doing his share to teach us African-American Literature.

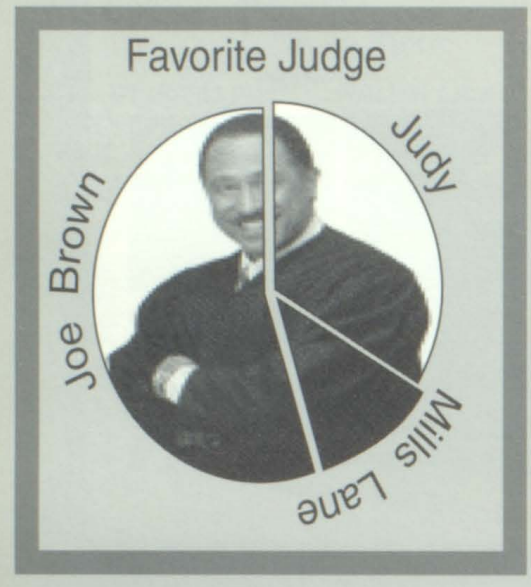


In seminar style AP English class, Mrs. Gironda elicits thoughtful looks and answers.



Can you spot ever watchful Mr. Leary?

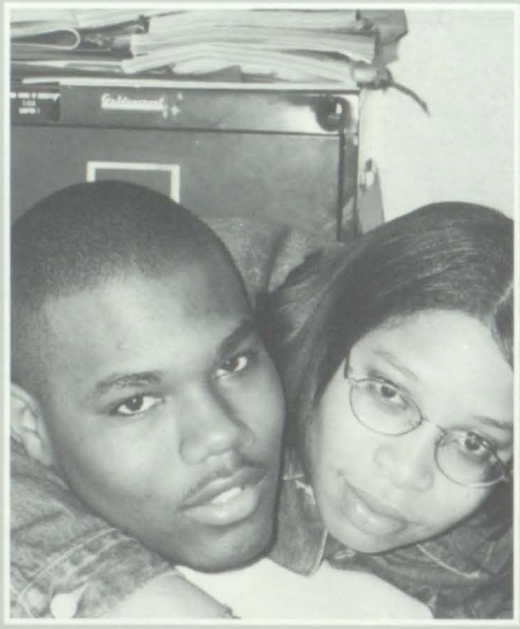
As soon as they sense a camera in the room,. . . well, see what happens?

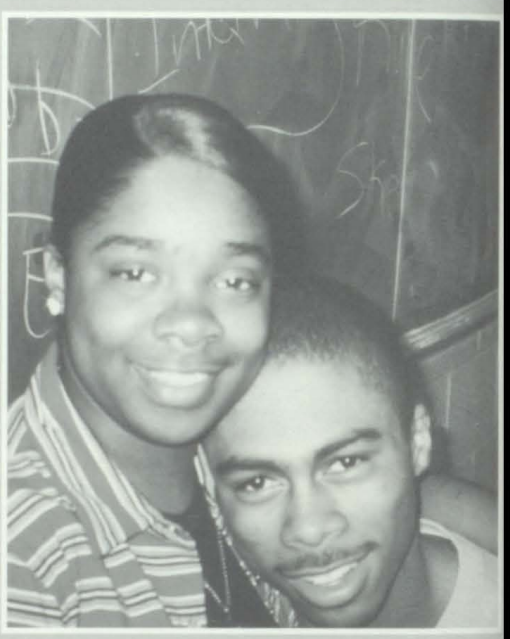










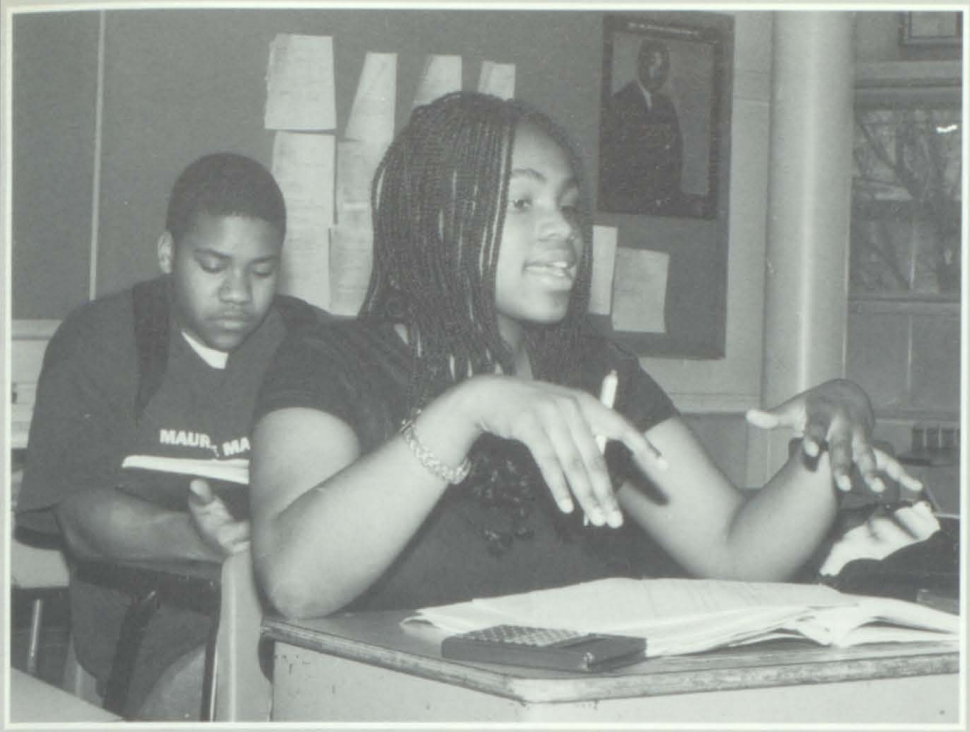




"A penny for your thoughts?" Z. Haywood is as engimatic as the Mona Lisa.

Don't let people know how much fun we've had at Big Uni: Tommy and Fatimah, Nashid and Nicole, Makia and Tyrone and Marie and Jasonn.

"Let me hear your voices, come up here and sing!" Mrs. James to Safanya, Kamillah, Ken, Joy, Khadijah and Karry.



"I'm saying . . ." Jennifer M. trying to explain, while LaQuan G. is looking for the answer in his book.



Saved By the Bell

We've Got Spirit



Pep Squad

J. James, C. Moss, P. McKinney, N. Jesse, R. McMillan, R. Fooluke, L. Monroe, T. Field, E. Holmes, A. Williamson, A. Anderson, A. Abney, A. Earles-Church, S. Melvin, T. Boughton, T, Seldonn, S. Jones, R. Cureton, S. DeBose, M. Washington, Y. Wheeler, T. Allison, C. Nwaigwe, K. Collins, J. Williamson, A. Williams, K. Catching, L. Kincy, C. Stevenson. Advisor: Mrs. L. Melvin.



Cheerleaders

A. Davis, N. Cunningham, E. Crenshaw, T. Homes, B. Garnett. Advisor: Ms. G. Sanford.

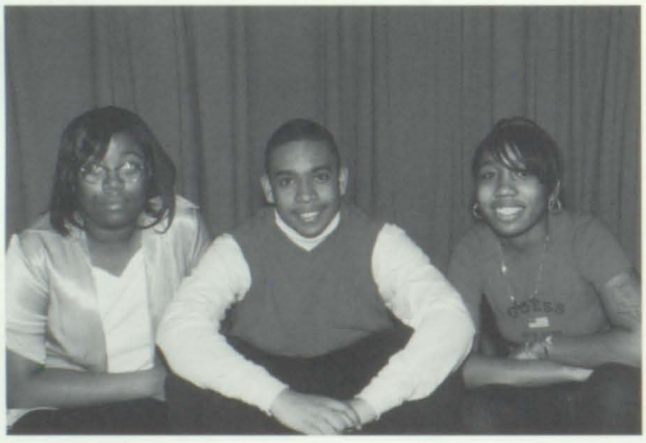




Seniors Yasmeen, Marie, and Stephanie with their "Little Sisters", who are seventh graders. Ms. Hewett always does a great job of matching up the "siblings."

Viewers' Choice...

Elected Class Officers



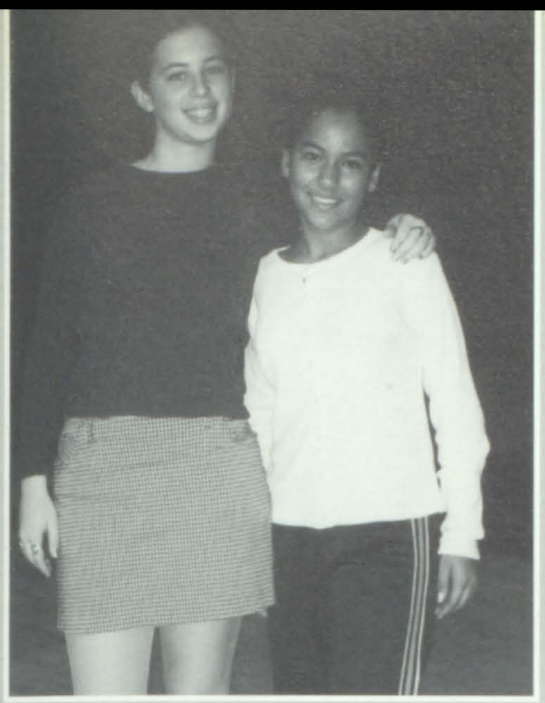
Freshmen

S. Debose, D. McKoy, K. Scott. Advisor:



Sophomores

V. Louissaint, S. Brantly, T. Paylor, L. Hull, T. Seldon, U. Crowley, R. Johnson. Advisor: Mrs. G. Johnson



SGO president Stephanie Foard gives advise and support to her "Little Sister".

Senior Marie Dextra provides wise counsel to eighth graders as they prepare for graduation .



. . . You Asked For Them





Juniors

S. Lockhart, A. Patterson, P. Booker, K. Braggs. Advisor: Ms. J. James.

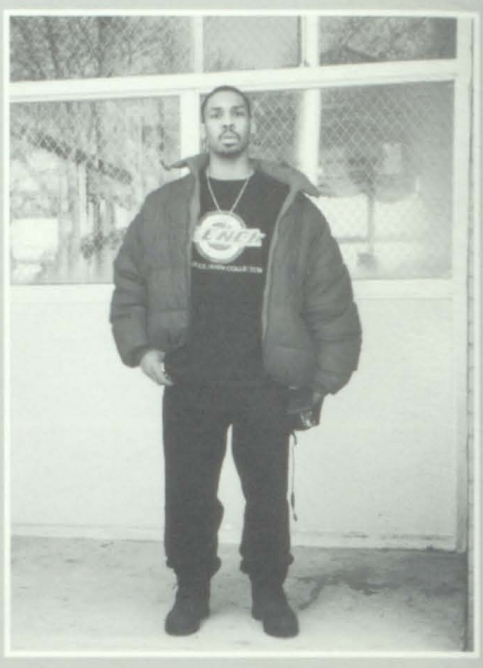
Seniors

M. Hardy, R. Torain, Z. Haywood, Y. Weems. Advisor: Mrs. G. Sandford.

Real Sports
Bursting with Pride

The spirit of the Mighty Phoenix ran strong this year. Big Uni has experienced successful seasons in all sports including basketball, volleyball, bowling and track. It is so surprising to realize the fact that team- work really does work wonders.
The season was highlighted with outstanding honors bestowed on some of our top athletes. Otis Anderson distinguished himself by scoring 1,000 career points. Siree Morris was a selection by the NJ Athletic Association conference as a first team player and was named Co-Player of the year in basketball. Shakima Thomas received honorable mention in the Colonial Hills Conference. The elementary basketball team started their season with a 4-0 record and they are still running strong with a win-win record. The Bowling Team had a great season. Seniors Al-Jamar Van Dyke and Dwayne Searwar were conspicuous with high scores. Marcell Spates bowled a 615 series during the singles elimination round of the Newark Public Schools Bowling Tournament.
The NJ State Athletics Association honored Michelle Hardy and Otis Anderson as Scholar Athletes.
University High is enriched by our students fine efforts, and looks forward to hearing of their continued success.

We celebrate Otis Anderson making 1000 career points over his four years on the Basketball team.







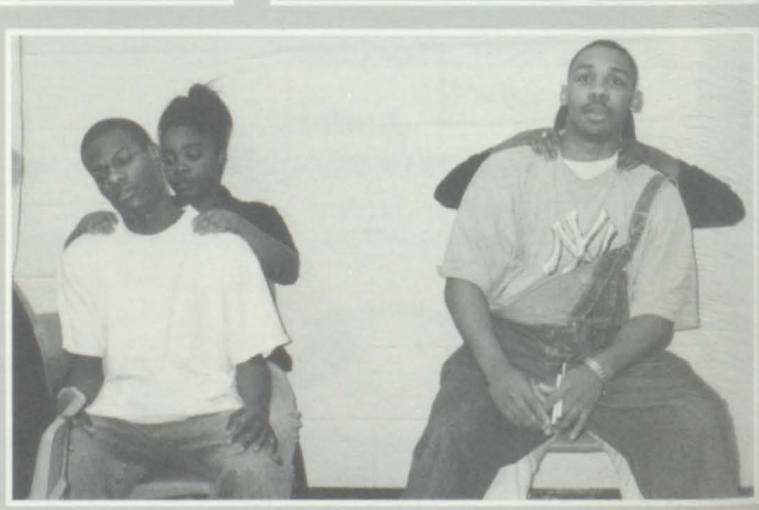


Waiting for the gym doors to open, seniors James, Nicole, April and friend Timothy are getting psyched for the big game.

Coach Valerie Barnes showing how it's done.

Senior Michelle Hardy taking one last practice shot before the game.

We don't know what is going one here. Do you?



Elem. Basketball

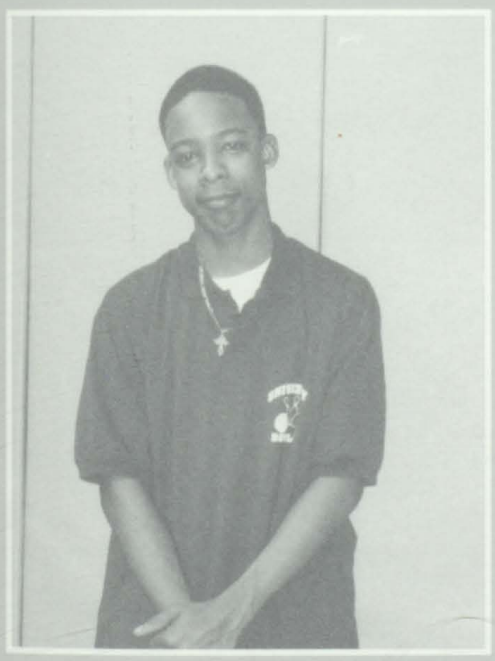


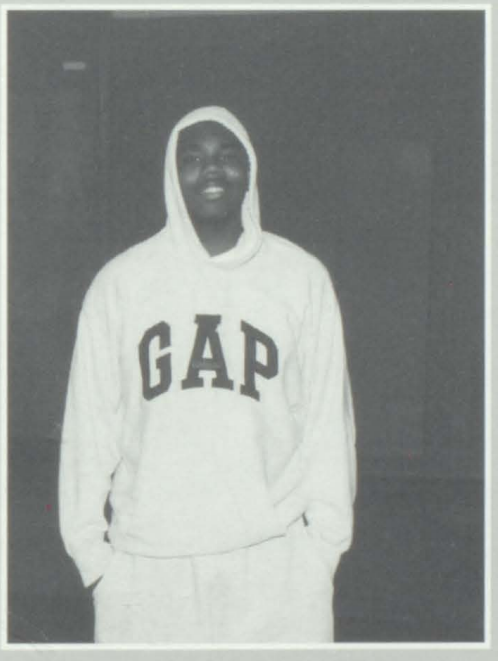
Y. Thomas, S. Barnes, D. Jackson, D. Jones, D. Jones, K. Johnson, D. Moultrie, T. Hill, W. Brown, K. Coleman, N. Wogwugwu, S. Cohen. Coach: Mr. T. High.

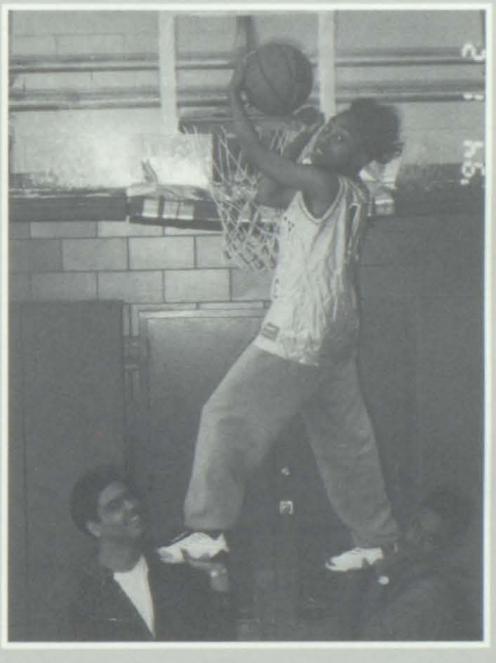
Girls' Basketball

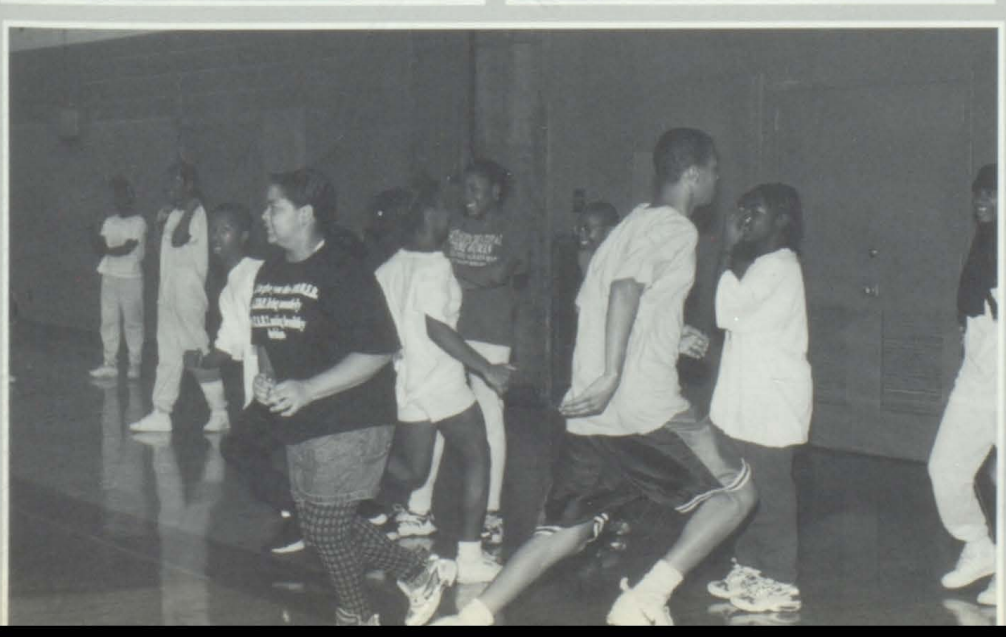


M. Hardy, C. Anderson, C. Walker, C. Rivers, A. Mathews, L. Kincey, S. Salaam, M. Mathos, E. Moore, R. Cotton, S. Thomas, and F. Winbush. Coach: Ms. Barnes.









In the Newark Schools Bowling League Final Elimination Round, M. Spates went nearly to the top, making his coach, Mrs. Mills-Ransome, very happy.

Tyrone Davidson is the ever present fan.

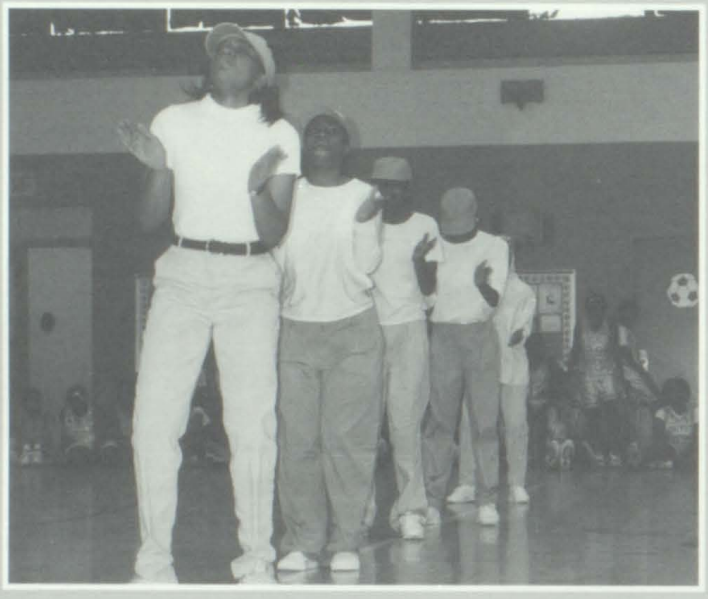
Senior Michelle Hardy gets a boost from Herbert and Michael.

Eighth graders participating in relay races.

Wide World of Sports
Family Connection



Softball co-captains lead a warm-up excercise.



At the School Spirit ralley, girls strutting their stuff.

Dwyane and Shante celebrating after a great game.



Bowling

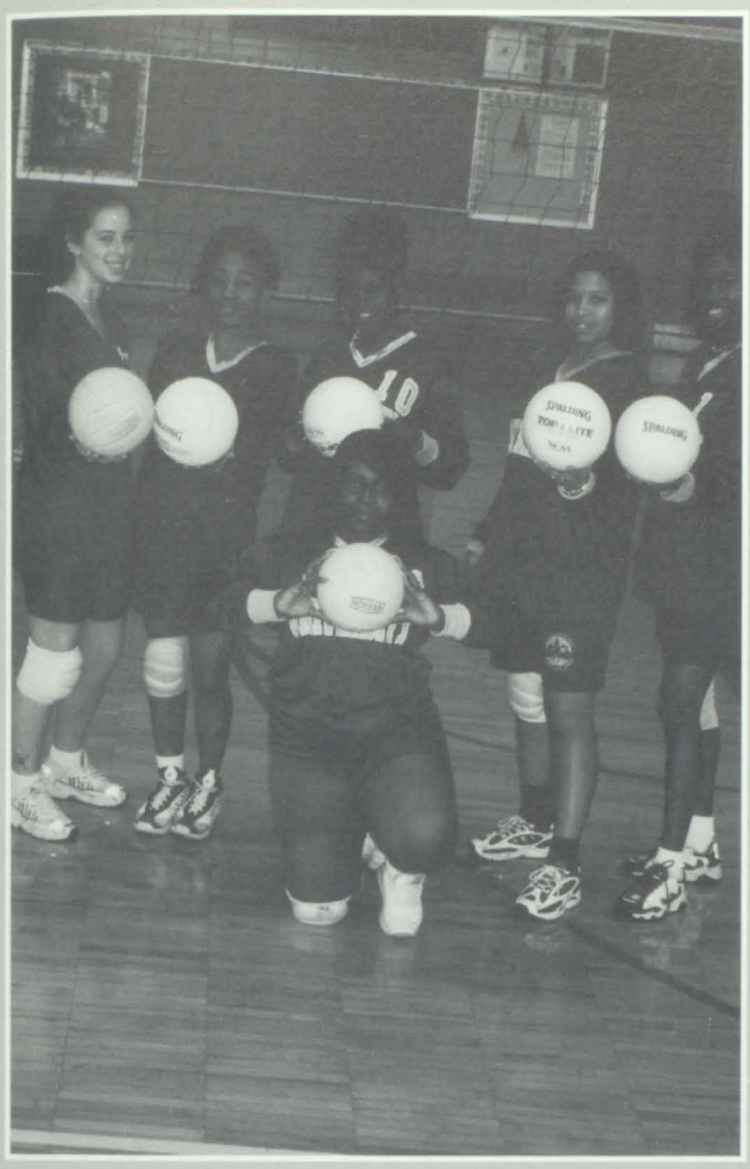


J. Powell, M. Spates, J. Martin, M. Herring, M. Vancol, L. Guilford, T. Patterson, D. Searwar, and A-J Van Dyke. Coach: Mrs. Ransome.

Varsity Tennis



A. Earles-Church, R. Torain, O. Faolowe, R. Faluke, and T. Nelson. Coach: Mr. Bell.



Senior volleyball stars: S. Foard, M. Hardy, S. Edwards, M. Long, K. Crawely, and S. Johnson.

Junior Varsity Cheerleaders: A. Anderson, A. Johnson, A. Barnett, T. Henderson, T. Hawks, J. Williamson. Mrs. Melvin, Advisor.



Volleyball



F. Jones, G. Gomez, S. Johnson, M. Hardy, S. Nelson, R. Cotton, S. Cureton, M. Peterman, Q. Bragg, T. Holland, S. Foard, S. Edwards, M. Long and K. Crawley. Coach: Mrs. Mills-Ransome

Softball



M. Hardy, S. DeBose, K. Adams, G. Gomez, L. Amaro, S. Cureton, J. Foard, Q. Bragg, Y. Hernendez, V. Johnson, T. Williams, M. Abdus-Sabur, A. Matthews, V. Johnson, Y. Mullins, S. McCray, L. Kincy, E. Crawford, N. Bangaroo, L. Talmadge, M. Peters, M. Gray, C. Anderson, W. Brooks and S. Foard. Coach: Mrs. Rivera

Track

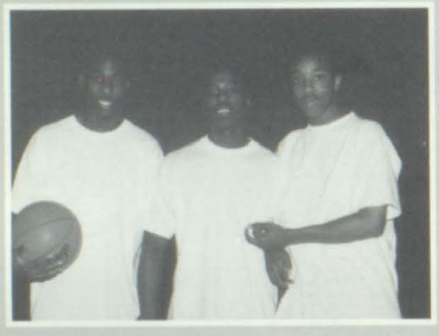


L. Guilford, C. Stevenson, S. Brantley, M. Louissant, S. Williams, Nicole, T. Holmes, D. Wilson, M. Smith, S. Wallace, T. Davidson, A. Orre, J. Powell, N. Kwame, V. Marshall among others. Coached: Mr. Cherulnik.

Indoor Track

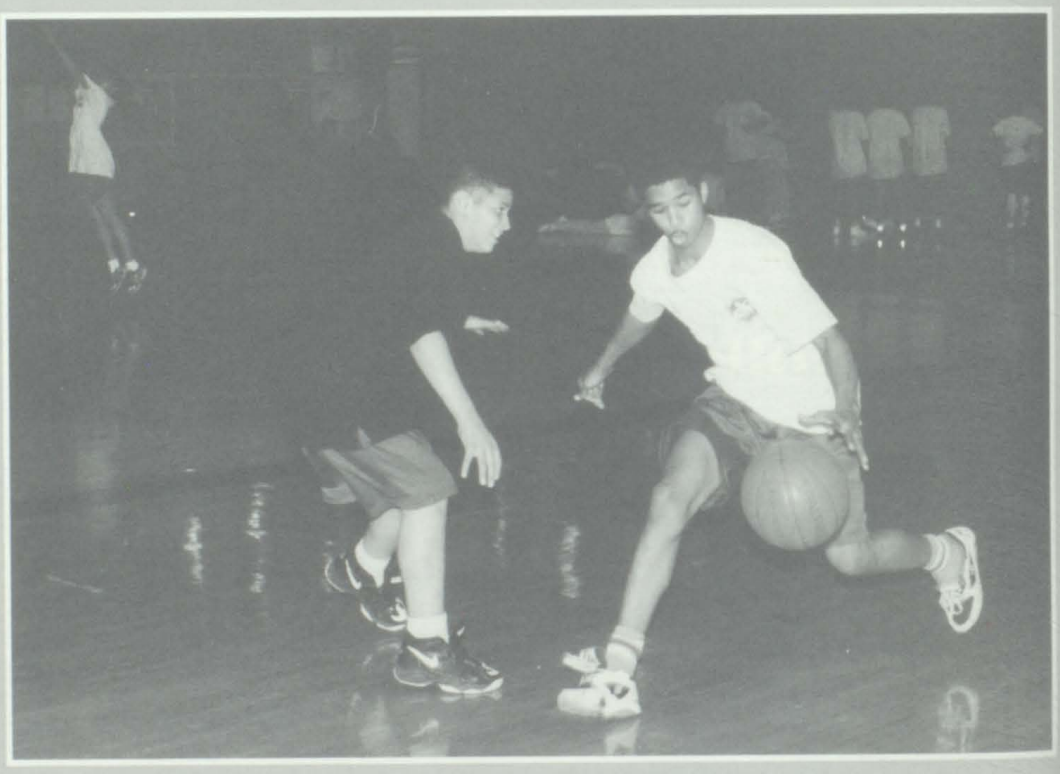


J. Powell, J. Martin, L. Guilford, T. Patterson, D. Searwar, and A-J. Van Dyke. Coach: Mr. Cherulnik.

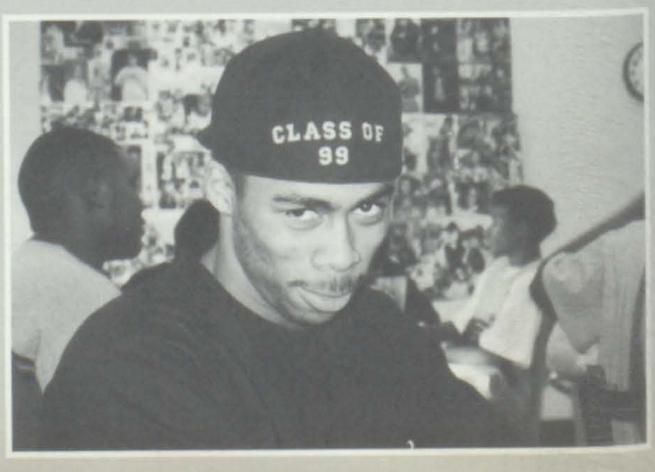


B. Bernard, Q. Neal and Z. Sowell are always together.

J. Lopez and M. Torrez have hoop dreams.



J. Denard models the newest hat.



Jr. Volleyball

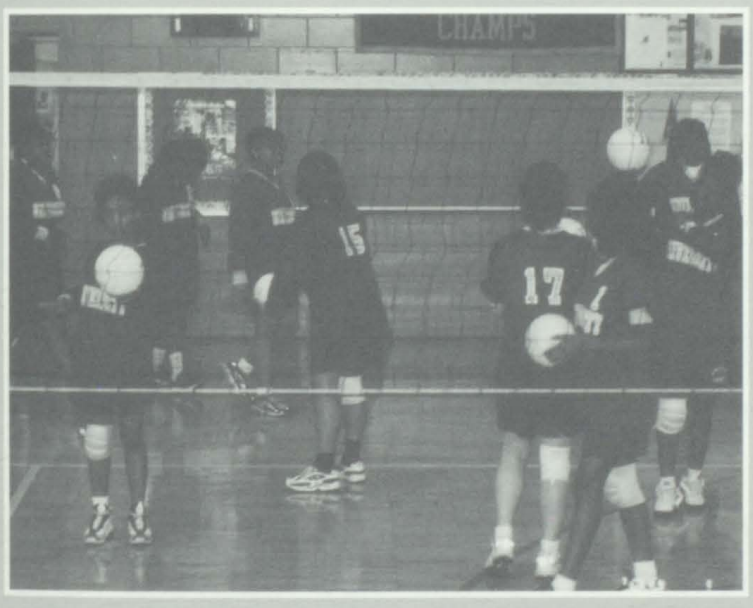


Y. Mullins, M. Mumford, L. Amaro,S. Cureton, A.-N. McLeod, M. Gray, C. Anderson and J. Foard. Coach: Mrs. Mills-Ransome

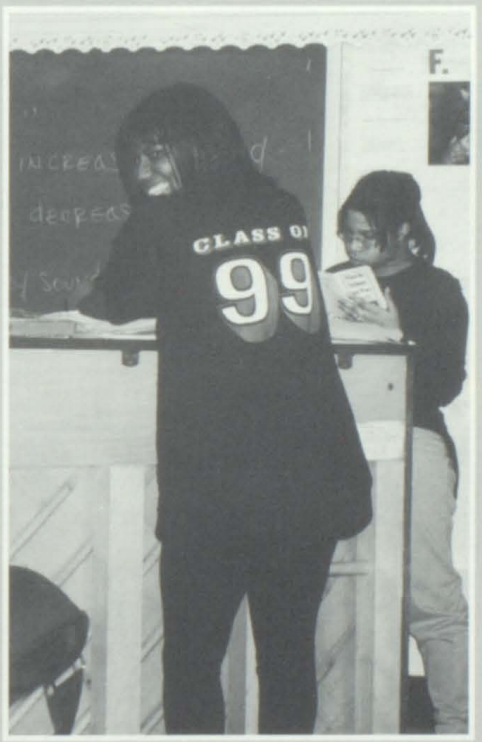
Elem. Basketball



A. Crowder, J. Whitehead, M. Van-Dyke, J. Stephens, S. Cato, T. Jones, A. Williamson, M. Brazwell, J. Barnes. Coach: Ms. Baraka







Makia and Rabiah happy in their special Class of '99 shirts.

Practicing for the volley ball season.

Guys are psyched up for their game after the ever popular pep-rally.

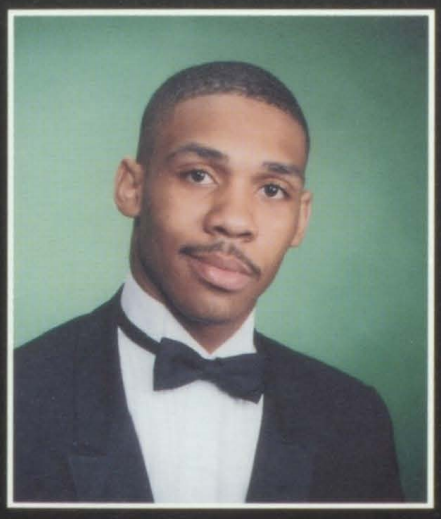
The Bold & the Beautiful



It is said that the truest and purest experiences in life will always be a part of you. This is especially true for the Class of '99. As a collective unit we have continuously shown our unity, our creativity and our commitment to the uplifting of both our class and school. Throughout the years we have matured and been refined, but the ideas and the spirit of the class that started out with a fresh and glorious vision for the future has continued to hold true. We are a group of innovators and trend setters, national scholars and community workers, future leaders of the world and we are now prepared to accept these challenges, we know that we stand **In No One's Shadow**.

SHADOW

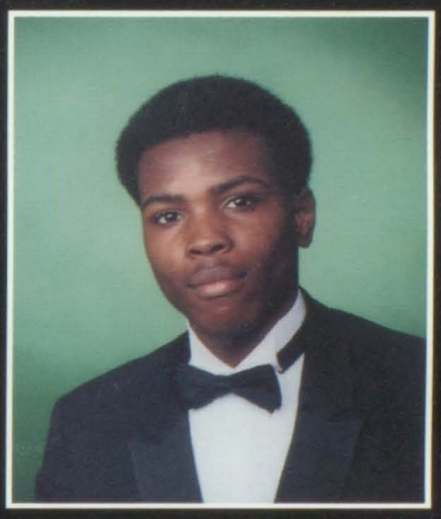
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Otis Anderson



Jayda Bowden



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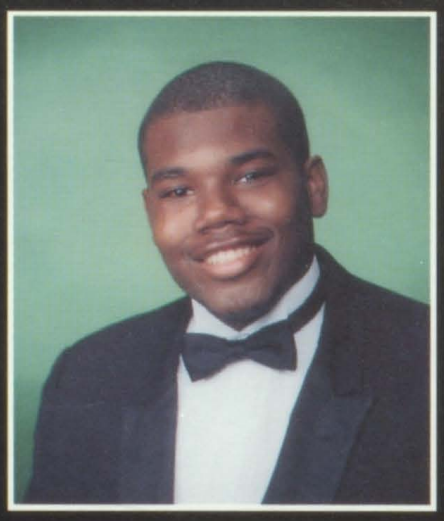
Kamilah Crawley



Elizabeth Crenshaw



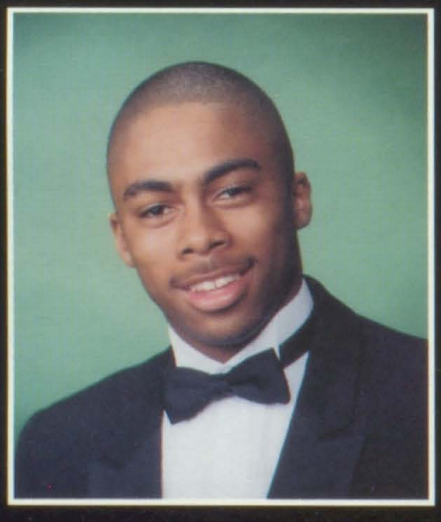
Keane Cyrus



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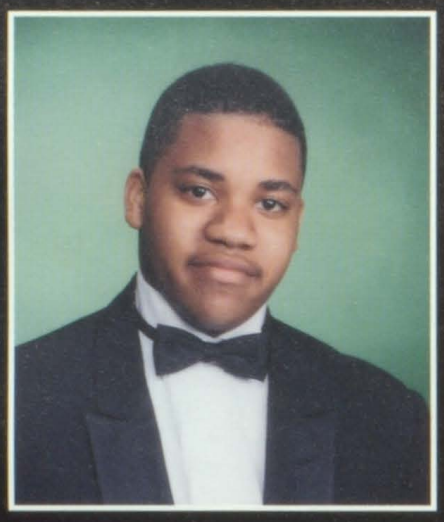
James Gilbert



Monique Gregory



Erica Griffin



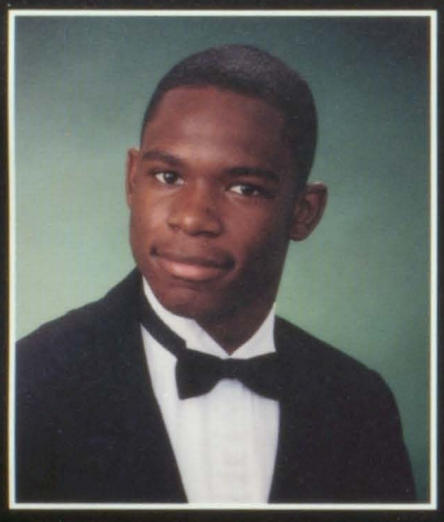
La Quan Guilford



Michelle Hardy



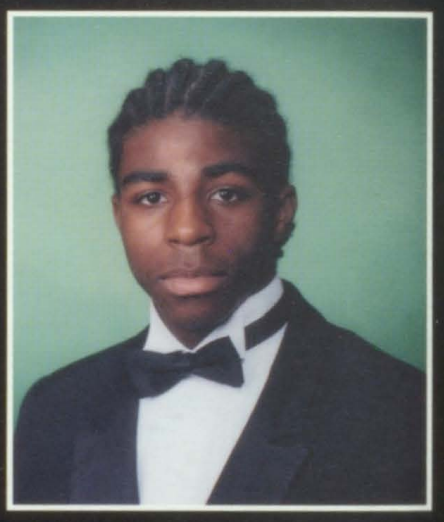
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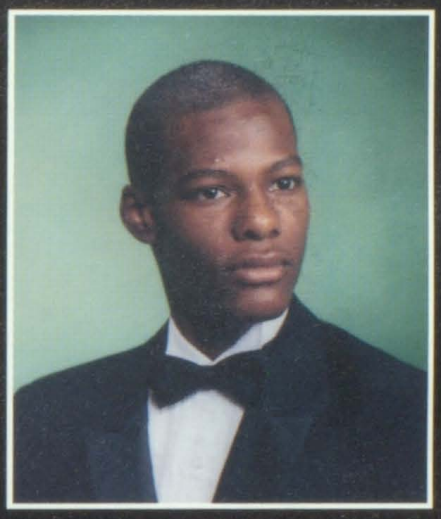
Ida Irving



April Johnson



Simone Johnson



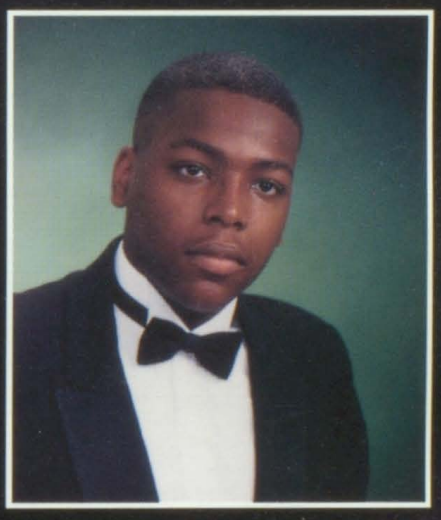
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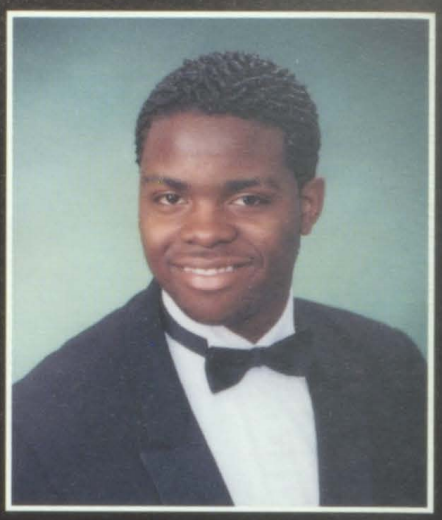
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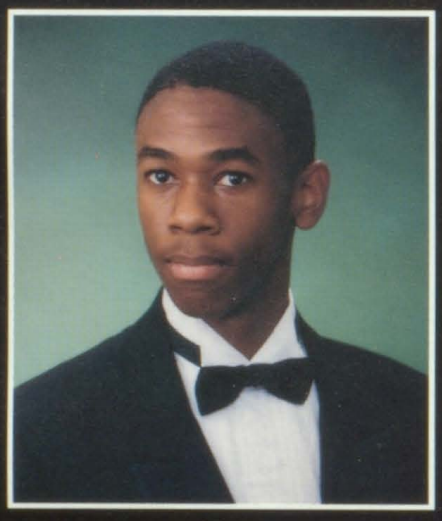
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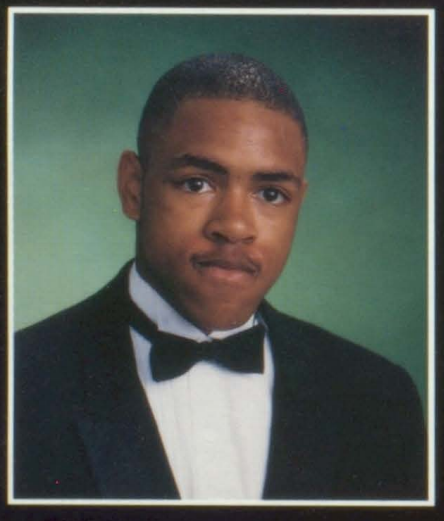
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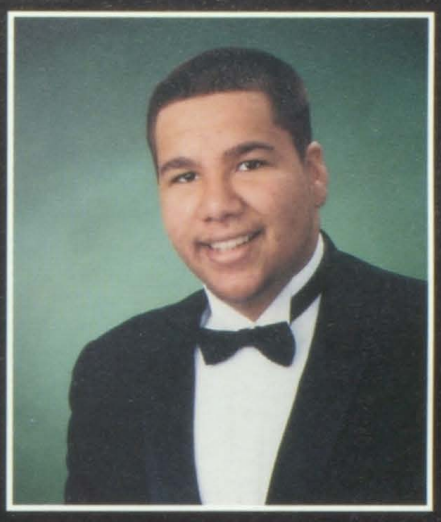
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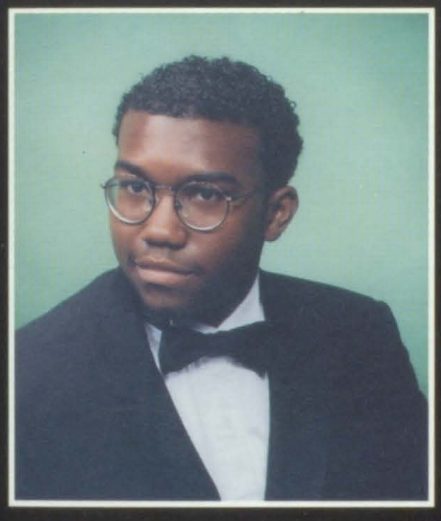
April Santiago



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Dwayne Searwar



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Fatima Sowell



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Lakisha Stephens



Aquilah Suber



Tashera Taliaferro



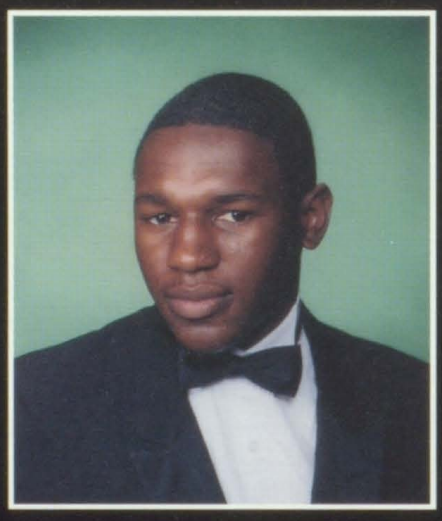
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Glendaliz Torres



Al-Jumar Van Dyke



Channel Way



Yasmeen Weems



Zeno Jaime

Last Will and Testament

of the

Senior Class of !999

We, the Senior Class of 1999, being of sound mind and possessed of an unlimited supply of bounty, hereby bequeth the following to:

The undergrads:
All these great computers.
New contracts to sign
Patience because it is a virtue, impatience will hurt you.
An unquenchable thirst for knowledge and truth.

Mrs. Dunham: A packet of suspension papers.

Mr. Bomze: A neat desk, open windows and an apple.

Mr. Charles: Our love and support, and prayers for a speedy recovery.

Ms. Gironda: 80 minute classes.

Ms. Rojy: Metabolism pills so you won't have to walk down the hall so fast.

Mr. Fahmy: A class that is interested in learning.

Mr. Friedank: A 10 on a lab assignment

Ms. Hewett: A plaque, memorializing her love and concern for us

Mrs. Jackson and ***Mrs. Eckstein***: an energetic and creative yearbook staff.

The Cafeteria Staff: Matching slices of bread for sandwiches.

The Custodial Staff: A shorter lunch period.

University High: Less arguments and more peace.
And great Mounds of School Spirit.

Remember when we first arriv

















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Remember When.....

The cafeteria wasn't the county jail...
Zandra wasn't the weave Queen...
Makia got caught cheating on Mrs. Wing's final exam...
Simone broke the lab table...
Jennifer M. didn't have a story...
Everybody passed Mrs. Ransome's test...
You had to work hard for an "A"
You got yelled at for having an opinion during yearbook meetings...
Mrs. Sanford resigned...NOT!!
Ken wasn't corny...
"The Family"...
Rukiya was dipped up...
Jennifer S. broke the chair in Cedano's class...
Naimah didn't catch feelings...
Rabiah's single dropped...
Stephanie F. wasn't Auto Cab...
Eleven girls left school; and three got picked up by truancy...
Nate became a real police officer.
Jesse proposed to Natasha H. ...
The day eighteen girls got suspended...
Jasonn didn't hug or kiss anybody...
Otis didn't have a girlfriend...
Abby got her cosmetology license...
UHS had a real teacher for every course...
The Violence Prevention Committee...
Kamilah had one pair of glasses...
Safanya messed up the National Anthem at the Pep Rally...
The Pep Rally ...
The Class of 99 got along ...
Mr. Hankerson didn't have a story to tell ...
People used to wear their best friends' clothes ...
Nashid wore Tommy jeans ...
We couldn't wear pajamas to the Pep Rally ...
Yaz did a slam-dunk on Ms. Rojy's clock ...
We ate lunch freely ...
The Family and the Diva's hung out ...
Tasha Hill's heel broke off ...
A time when Chinaire wasn't hungry ...
ShaMartia fell off the bleachers ...
Ken & Nikiya in the hallways ...

Talk About the Years









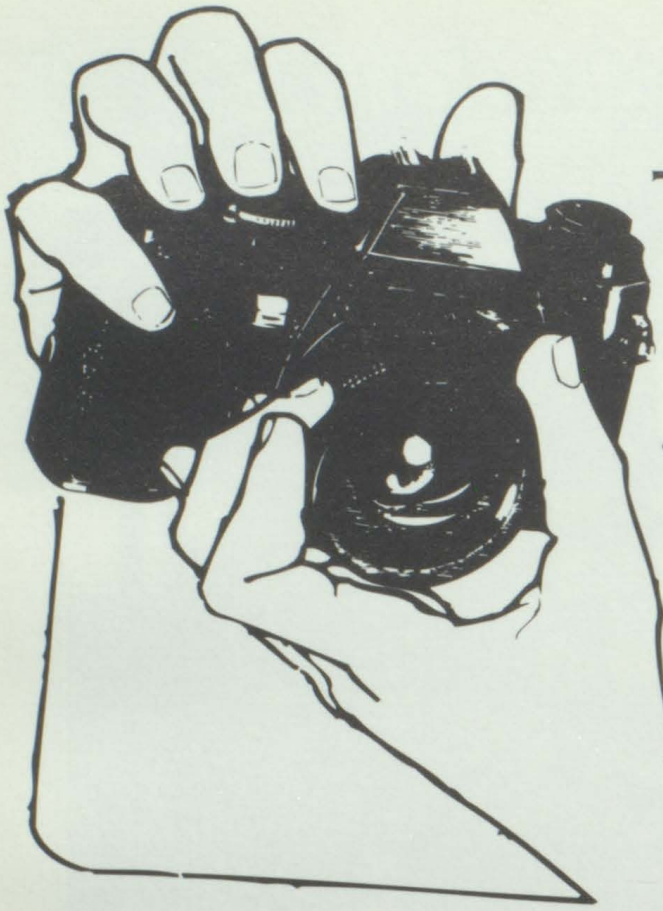




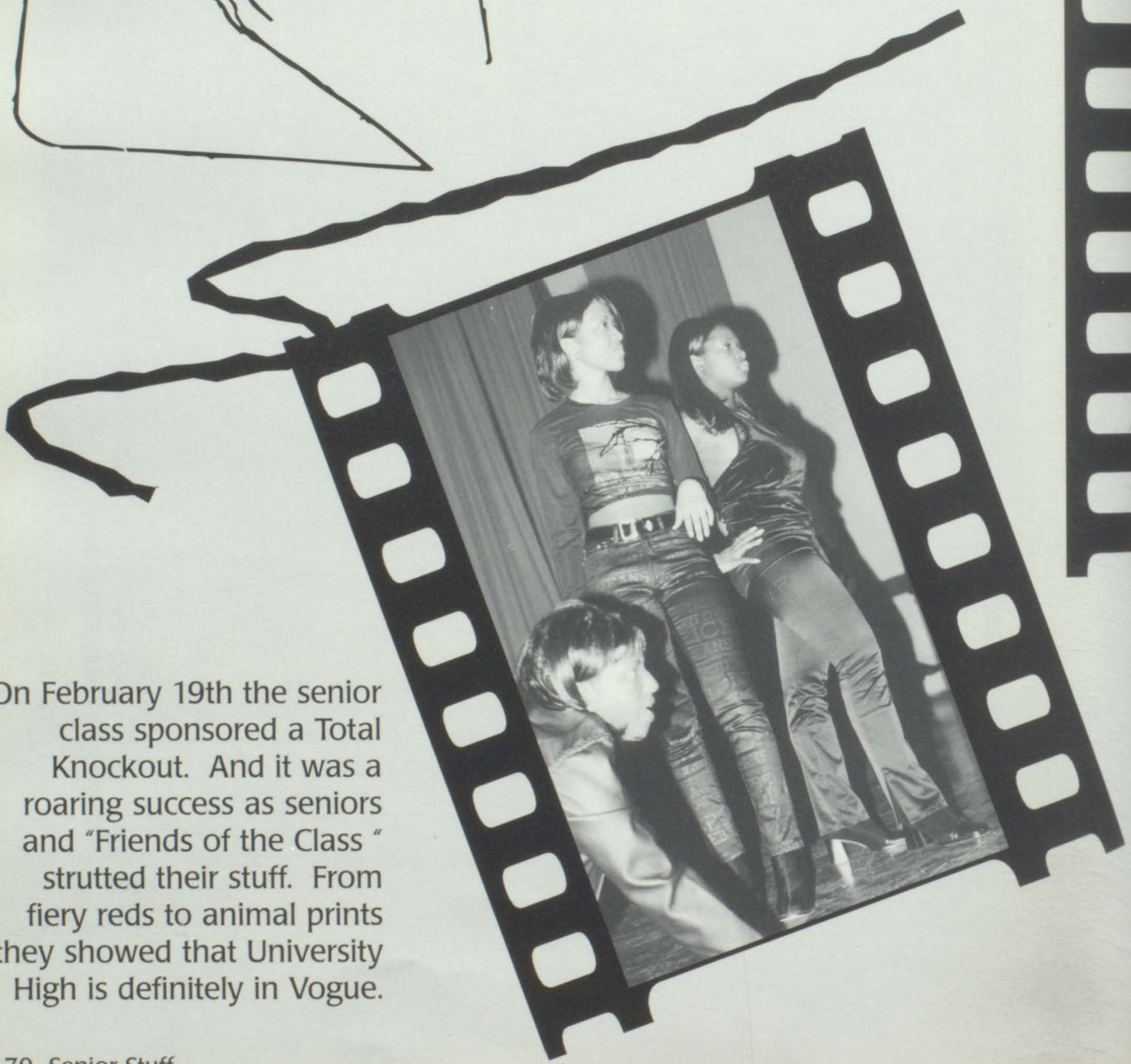
Six Year Students of the Class of...99



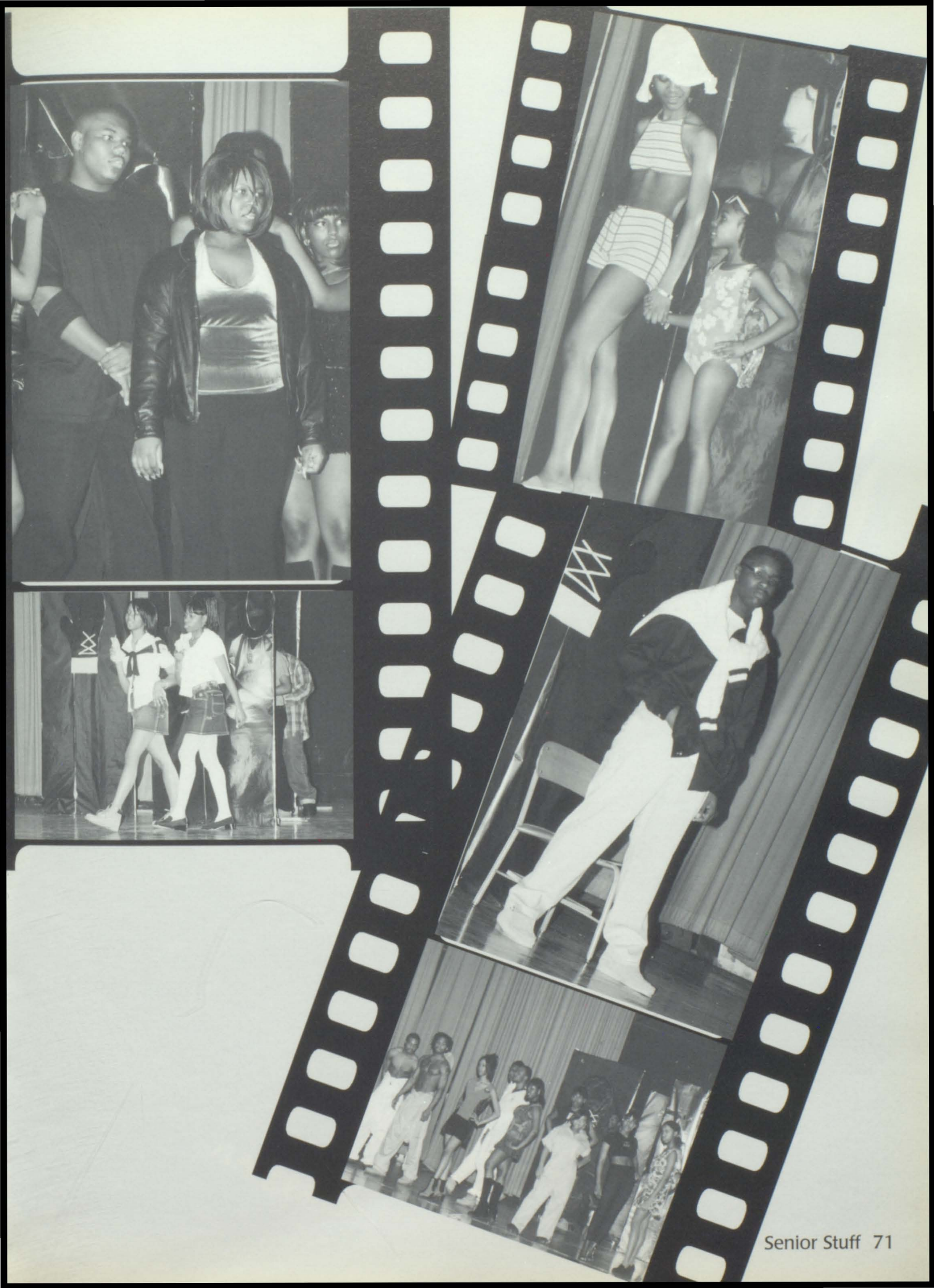
Six Year vets have been at University for the long haul. They entered in seventh grade and survived the trials and tribulations.



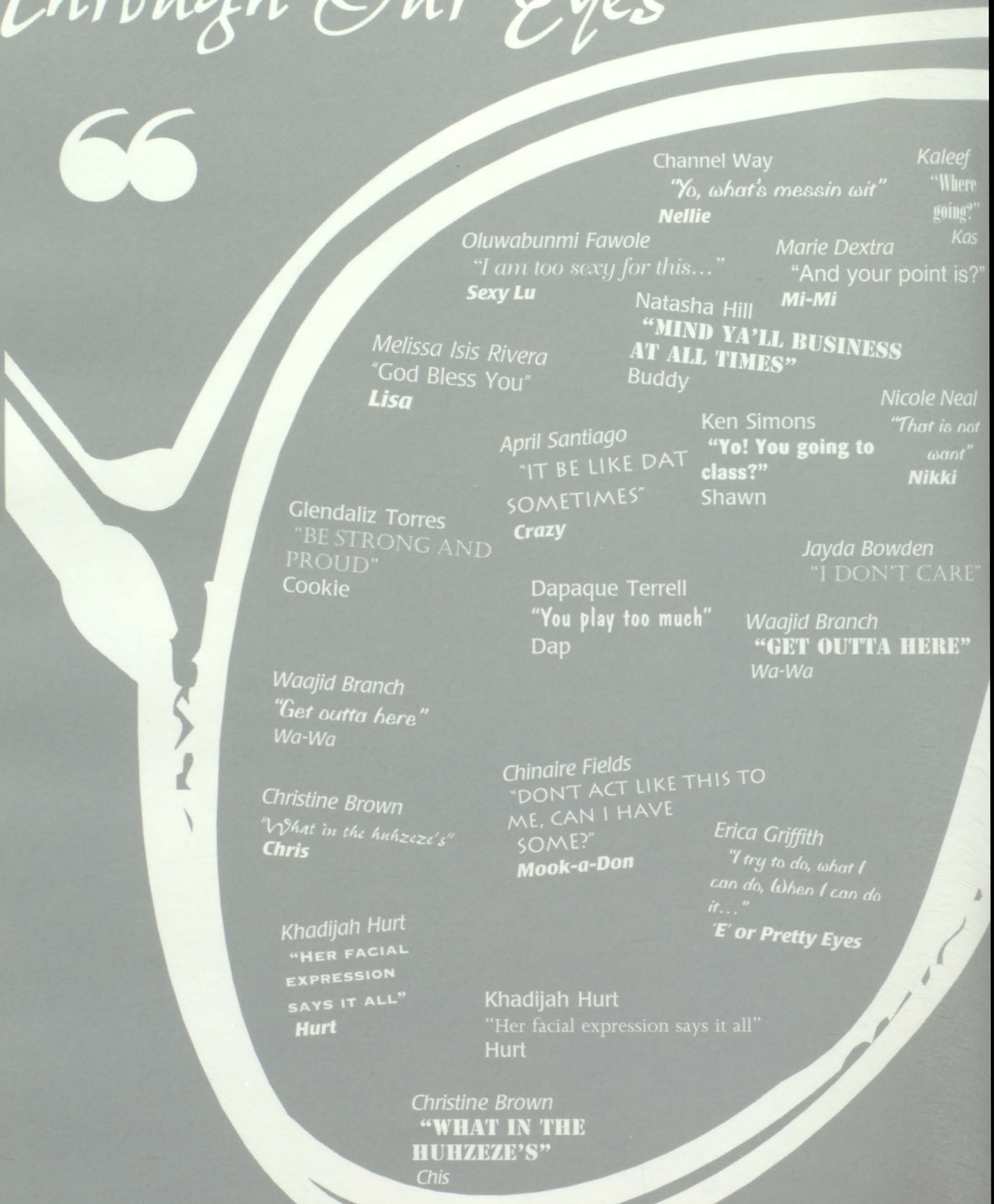
The Fashion Show was a *Total Knockout*



On February 19th the senior class sponsored a Total Knockout. And it was a roaring success as seniors and "Friends of the Class " strutted their stuff. From fiery reds to animal prints they showed that University High is definitely in Vogue.



Through Our Eyes



Channel Way
"Yo, what's messin wit"
Nellie

Kaleef
"Where going?"
Kas

Oluwabunmi Fawole
"I am too sexy for this..."
Sexy Lu

Marie Dextra
"And your point is?"
Mi-Mi

Natasha Hill
"MIND YA'LL BUSINESS AT ALL TIMES"
Buddy

Melissa Isis Rivera
"God Bless You"
Lisa

Nicole Neal
"That is not want"
Nikki

Ken Simons
"Yo! You going to class?"
Shawn

April Santiago
"IT BE LIKE DAT SOMETIMES"
Crazy

Glendaliz Torres
"BE STRONG AND PROUD"
Cookie

Jayda Bowden
"I DON'T CARE"

Dapaque Terrell
"You play too much"
Dap

Waajid Branch
"GET OUTTA HERE"
Wa-Wa

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"Get outta here"
Wa-Wa

Chinaire Fields
"DON'T ACT LIKE THIS TO ME, CAN I HAVE SOME?"
Mook-a-Don

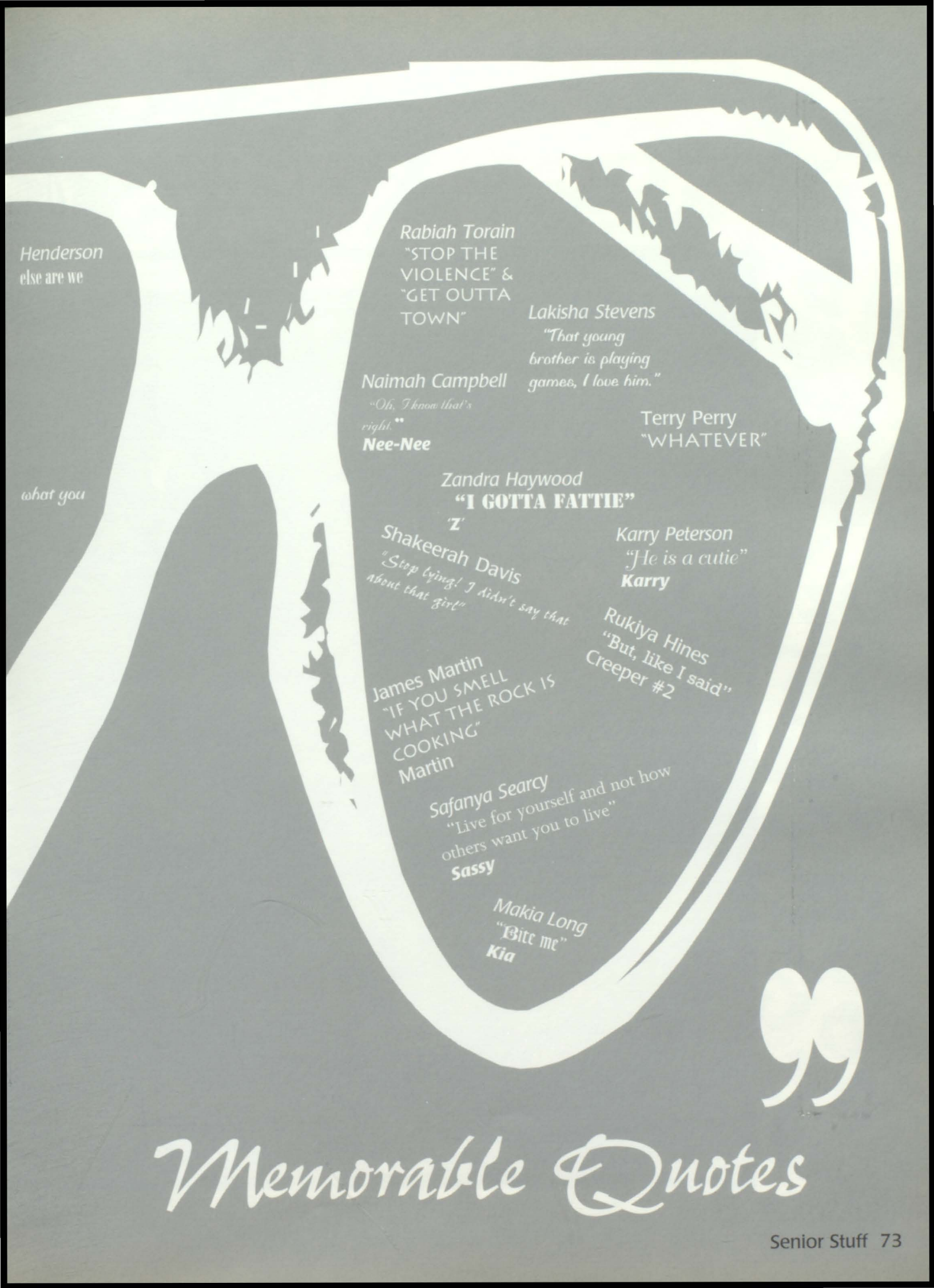
Christine Brown
"What in the huhzeze's"
Chris

Erica Griffith
"I try to do, what I can do, When I can do it..."
'E' or Pretty Eyes

Khadijah Hurt
"HER FACIAL EXPRESSION SAYS IT ALL"
Hurt

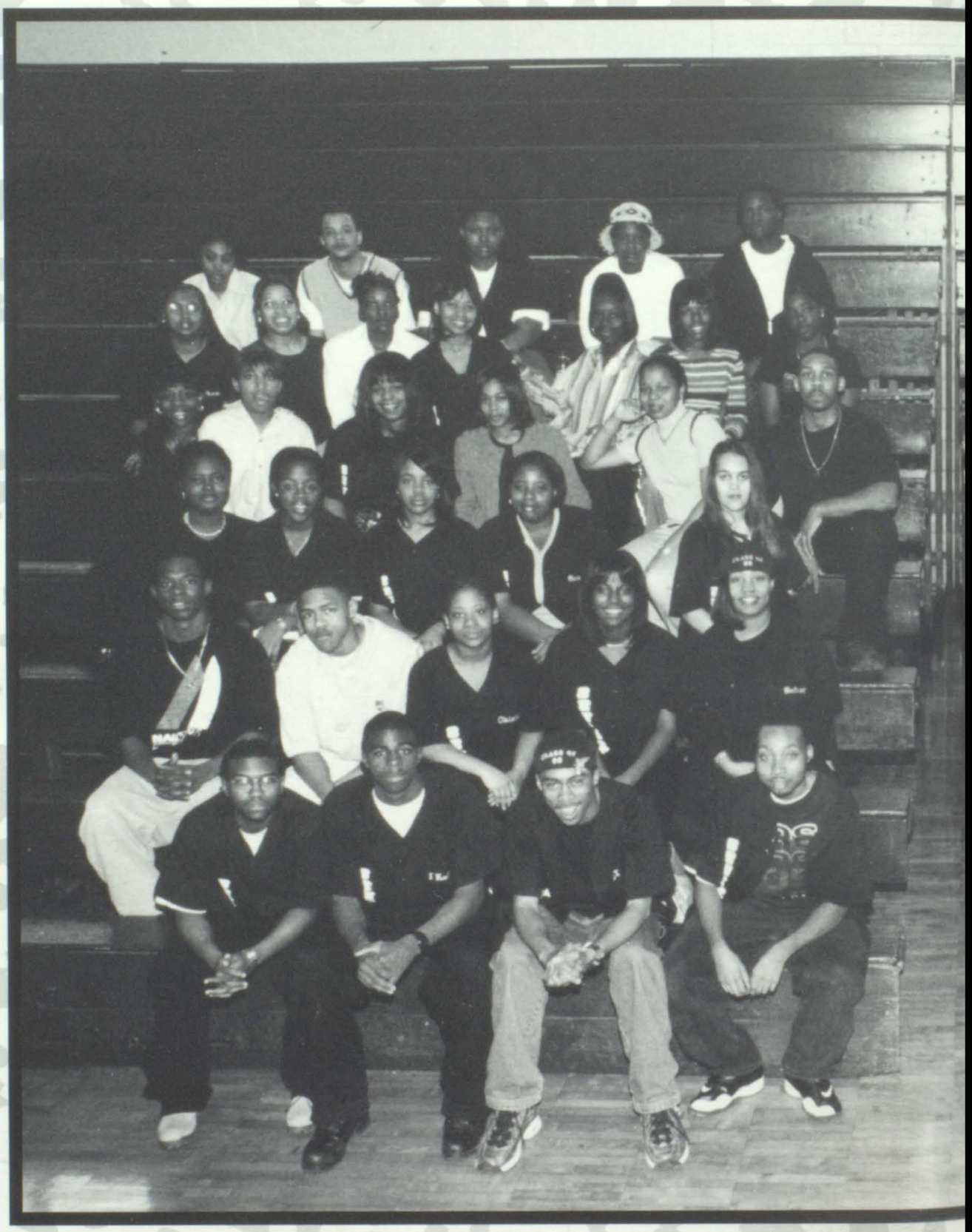
Khadijah Hurt
"Her facial expression says it all"
Hurt

Christine Brown
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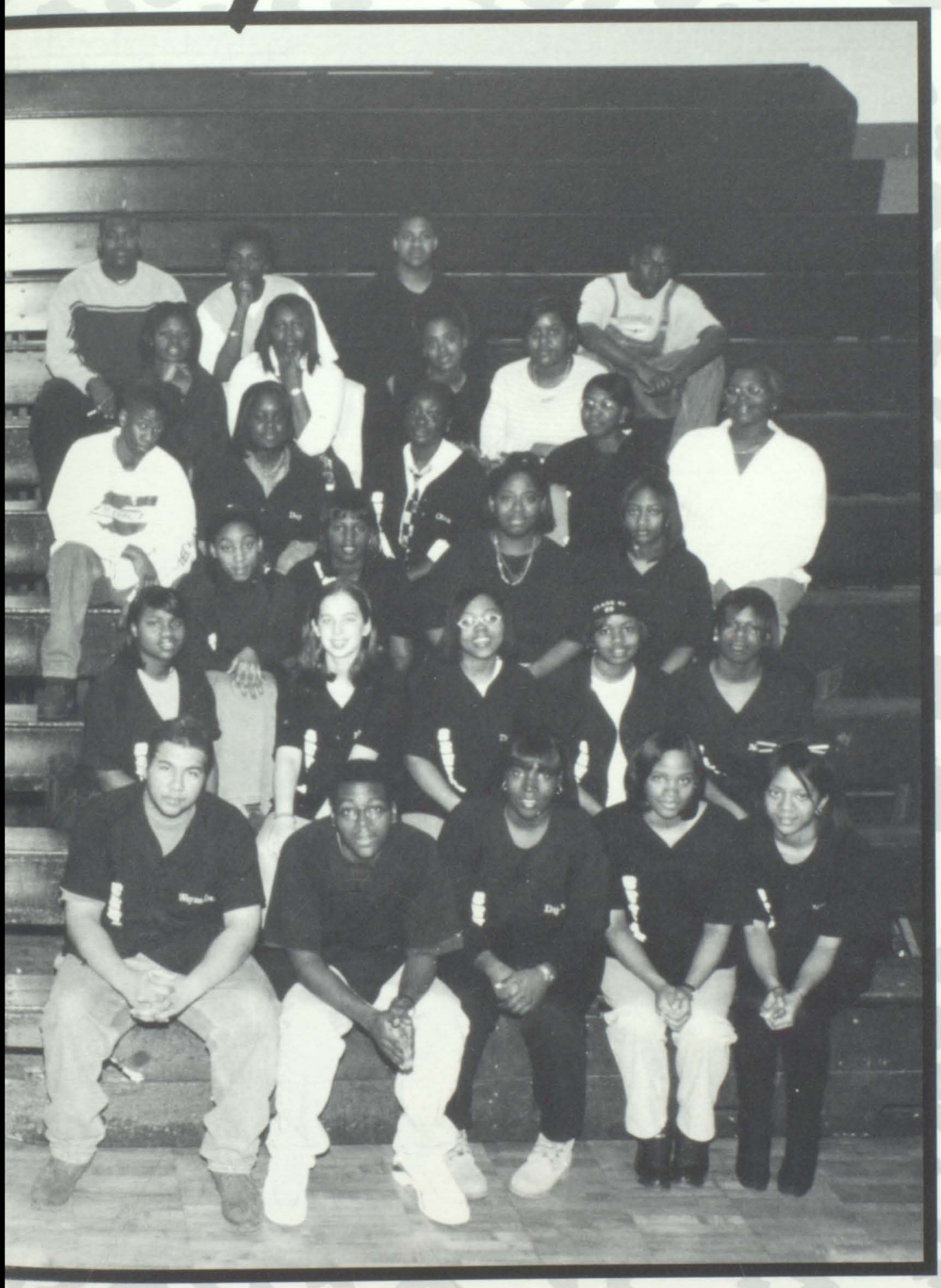


Memorable Quotes

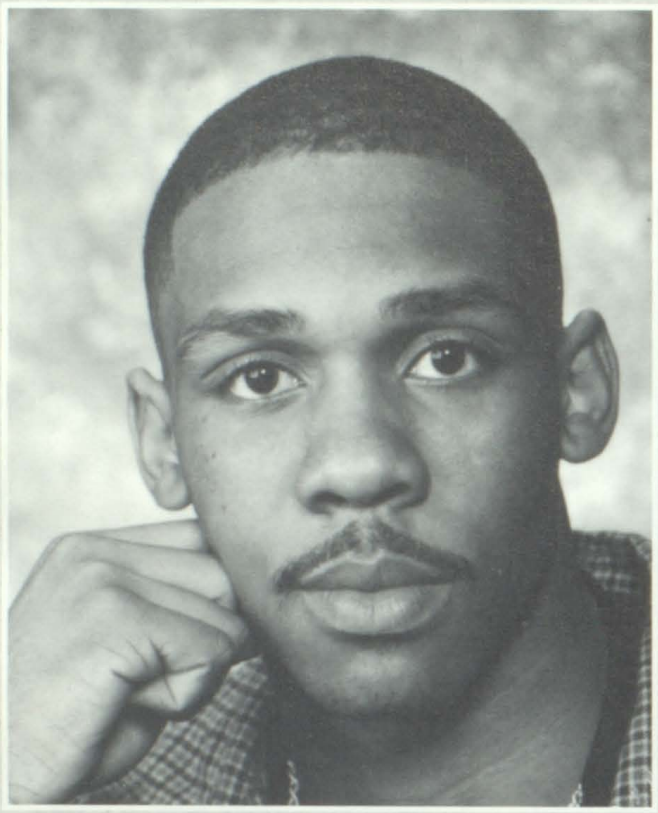
The Class of



1999



Otis Anderson



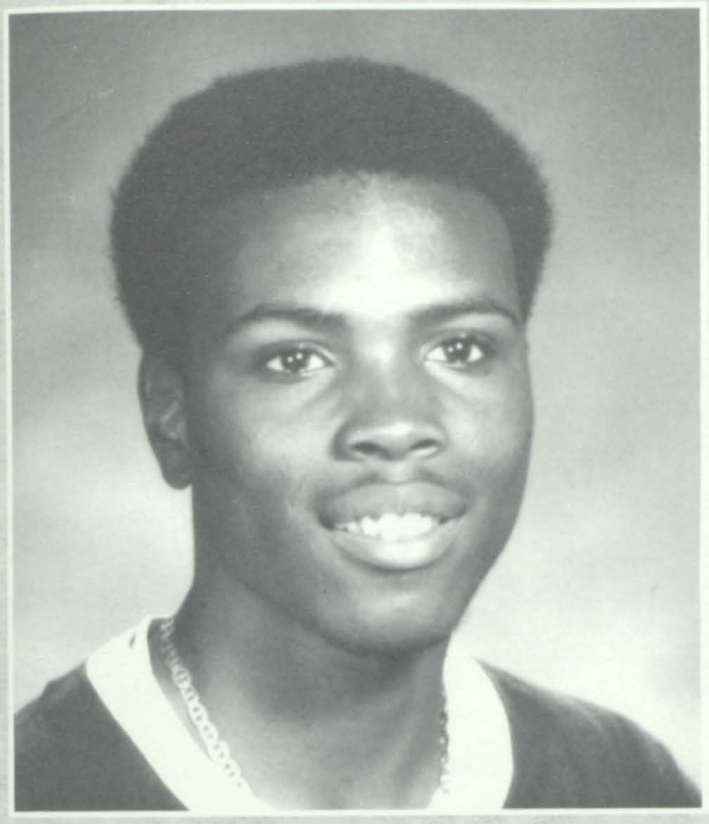
Through My Eyes" playing for the University High School Basketball Team has been a highlight in my life. First I would like to thank my sisters Tanisha and Stashima for a lot. Next I would like to say thanks to my father Otis Sr. for being tough on me. Next I would like to thank Coach Howard for taking me under his wing and being another father figure. Next I would like to give a big thanks to Ms. Hewett and Ms. Melvin for looking out for me. I would like to give a shoutout to Kaleef and his moms, Tommy and his moms, Ken and his moms, Jesse and his moms, Tyrone, Al, and Jasonn, and Antoine and his mother and father. Next I wanna really thank Michelle, Toya, and Erica for loving me and caring for me. Then also my female friends like Yaz, Steph, Zandra, and others. Last but not least I would like to thank my mother Gwen and grandmother Nancy for always being there for me when I needed you, bringing me up when I was down, putting up with me when I was bad because I know that took a lot, and most importantly for just loving me. I love everybody.

Jayda Bowden

I can remember walking through the doors of University High School four years ago. I had no idea of what I was in for. It was a long road, at times difficult, but I wouldn't trade in my memories for anything. First I want to thank God because without Him I wouldn't be here. Secondly, I'd like to thank my mother, the strongest and sweetest person I know. I love you more than words can say. To my sisters, Aminah and Fila, you two are great and I love you. To my brothers, Tommy, William and Terick, I wish we could've been around each other more, but I still love you with all my heart. To Alicia and Keita, y'all are the best cousins a girl could have (with y'all crazy selves). I love you. To my best friends Christine and Keane, we have been through a lot, sometimes it wasn't all great, but I love you guys and I'm grateful to have friends like you. Remember, Keane, stay opinionated and pushy. Chris, be as moody and silly as you want to be. To my aunts and uncles, thanks for being there. To Olu, thanks for being the coolest, funniest Taurus I've ever known. To Aquila, thanks for being so sweet and friendly. To Nelly, thanks for being cool (with your nasty self). To Waajid, thanks for being a constant pain in my neck (ha ha). To anyone I didn't remember, thank you. To the whole class of '99, congratulations and good luck.



Waajid Branch



All thanks to God because without him I would have not gotten this far. I would like to thank my grandmother for being there in the time of need, also thanks to my 4 brothers and my little sister for giving me inspiration. Thanks also given to my 2 uncles Mustafaa and Siddiq for helping me become an independent young man. Thanks to my church family for giving me religious support.

All shout outs to my first 2 friends in UHS, Wilner and Jeffrey. I had most fun with U 2 . Also to Shawna (Keane), Christine ,and Jayda for being my friends all through HS. Thanks to my outside crew for showing me life. To my best friend Shanette, to my first and true love Sophia. To Liz and her crew for being cool after 10th grade. To my 2 little brothers in 7th grade, continue to succeed. ***In no one's shadow*** have I/we succeeded to be the best class ever. Much luv to all my c/o 2001 female/male friends; stay cool as ever, especially Taneesha. Luv also given to all the c/o 99. I will never forget these 4 years. For my friends thanx for everything.

Christine Brown

I never thought my four years at University would pass so quickly. Actually I didn't think I would last this long. Well, look whom I've proven wrong! I'm not glad to say it is over, but I'm not unhappy about it either. University has taught me to perceive the world **through my own eyes**, and seek the ventures the world will offer me, while standing in no one's shadow. With the knowledge I have gained from University I know this will not be a difficult challenge for me.

First and foremost I want to thank God almighty, through Him anything is possible. Mommy, we're finally starting to understand each other, thanks for being the best mother I will always have! Lil' Bro, Steph, Dontese, and Robert neva forget I love y'all! Best friends in the world Jayda and Keane: one cat's curious and the other still waiting to be killed (sike!), thanks for being there for me. Neva forget the fun we made, the good, the bad, and the funny times we made, Luv y'all! The 168 family, even though I wasn't family thanks for making me feel like blood. Jesse S. you know I love you! thanks for My Lil' Punkin'. Susan (you'll find yours), Arlene (you still got yours?), and Cherry (no I ain't easy). Jew-Jew keep on clubbin' baby! Nelly, stay sweet and open (minded that is!) sike! Stay beautiful African girl, You'll get to Paris one day! Waajid, one of my coolest friends, keep wearing those hot clothes with your bad (you know what), Liz, you are really a cool person, stay that way. Olu, keep on Keepin' baby girl! 11th grade lab, French class, and lunch.
And the rest of the Graduating Class of '99! I'm Out!



Quimmah Burgess



First, I'd like to give honor and thanks to God who is the creator of my life. I thank you for the strength that you instill within me, thanks for listening and answering my prayers.

Through my eyes, all the experiences that I've encountered have made me stronger. Since I've been here at University I learned the meaning of friendship, responsibility and encouragement. To my family, thank you for the foundation that you have built for me, I Love you all. We are flowers grown from the same garden. Now we are sprouting out into beautiful human beings.

To my teachers, thank you for taking the time to show that you care. To those who were there through thick and thin, for showing me how important life is and how to stick to my dreams.

It is now that I can say I am who I am because I am In No One's Shadow. I'd like to give shouts to my peoples: Raheem, Fatu, Kautharia, Kallilah, Jamil, Tihrey, Rahmeed, Allen, Glendaliz, Nicole, Jamie.Z, James, Jahleem, Asma, Linda, Jose, Ms. Muhammad, Ms. Stephenson, Ms. Sanford, Ms. Beauamont, Ms. Buck, Mr. Hayes, Ms. Mahon. My mother Patricia, my inspiration; my Grandmom Essie and my Grand-da Ralph my guiding lights. Baheejah-Big B,Courtney,Tamika .P, my cousins: Ameesha, Felicia, Crystal, Craig, C.J. and Taquan, my sister Fatimah: you go girl, my brother Jaquin: I Love you very much. To my uncles Keion, Michael, Larry, Barry, Raheem, and to my aunts Linda and Michelle: love to all.

Stay strong, and may all your dreams come true.

Naimah Campbell



Here it is senior year, and I can finally say that I've made it through high school with my entire life still ahead of me. ***THROUGH MY EYES,*** my experiences and many obstacles in my 6 years at Uni have allowed me to recognize who I really am. All thanks to God for shaping me into the wonderful person that I am, and allowing me to come this far. Mommy, thanks for your support and guidance, and for being there during the times that I've needed you most. To Kinah, I will never forget how you made me laugh when things were not at all funny. Keerah, you have been a great big sister (*trust*). Quin- Never Give Up. Fatima, thanks for being there to listen when there was no one else. You've been a great friend and I wish you luck as you face the world for the first time. To my sweetheart, luv ya! To Marl and Barry, thanks for being there for me. Mrs. Gironda and Mrs. Hewett, thanks for your inspiration. Divas – Dijah, Biah, and everyone else, much love and success in the future. Finally, congrats to ***c/o 99.*** We are the last but will always be #1 and are indeed ***"IN NO ONE'S SHADOW"***.

Nicole Carey



I'd like to express my sincere gratitude to all of my teachers, who had a vision early in their lives to instill a wealth of knowledge in our young minds. They have passed on invaluable information to us so that we can look at it ***Through Our Eyes***.

I've had some special friends who have made me a better person for having known them. My parents gave me love, support and encouragement; whether I deserved it or not. My friends have taught me that life is short and that you can't take life or friendship for granted. Time is in short supply, so we can't afford to waste on second of it.

As I go on my journey through life, I will use all of this knowledge, and it will help me to be independent, and ***Stand In No One's Shadow***.

Kamilah Crawley



First, I thank God for allowing me to make it this far so I can pursue my future goals. I thank my whole family for their guidance and continuous support. To my brother, thanks for showing me that even in the midst of trial it is possible to find inner strength and motivation to progress through life and achieve. As I reflect on my 6 yr. experience, many ideas come to mind. The years have gone fast and now it's time to move on, but I won't forget the people who made my high school experience worth while. Mrs. Gironda, Mrs. Hewitt, and Mrs. James: thanks for showing me that there are teachers who put their hearts into everything they do.

To da c/o 99: I gotta shout out Perfect Harmony even though we didn't sign our record deal. One Luv to my peeps Al, Ken, and Otis. Smooches Nashid! My sis Steph, our memories will last forever. Thanks to "B" and Ida for being good friends. My girl Yaz, remember you are the only one I'll share Penny with. Michelle, Liz, and Tyrone, you all are special to me and I Luv Y'all. To my best friend Jason, thanks for always being there. I'll value your friendship now and always.

"**Through My Eyes**" I've seen the classes of 94-98, but the class of 99 stands "**In No one's Shadow**," and casts one that no other class will be able to escape.

Elizabeth Crenshaw



The years have come & gone since I have been at University. The end is finally here & it is now the time to say goodbye. I would like to thank my family for always believing in me and knowing that I could succeed. My true friends have made being at University very memorable. I would like to thank my sisters Kamilah, Michelle, Julia and Kendra for always being there for me when I needed you. I will miss you all. To my school family: I wish you the best of luck and stay cool & cute like we always have been. I would like to thank my brother Ty for being there for me. Thank you JD and Tom for being good friends. Thanks Waa for making my days here ones that I will never forget. To the senior boys, you will never be forgotten. To all of my friends that I have gotten: You know I will miss you all especially Jayda, Keane, Christine, & my partner. I wish my cheerleaders the best & I hope that you will remember the good times we had. I will miss my days of cheering forever. I would like to thank all of the teachers and advisors that were there for me. I wish my little sister Rasheerah the best in her years to come at University. It's time for me to say goodbye, but before I go I want to say:

The class of '99 is so Divine
And everyone should know
That we stood in "No One's Shadow!!!!!

Keane Cyrus

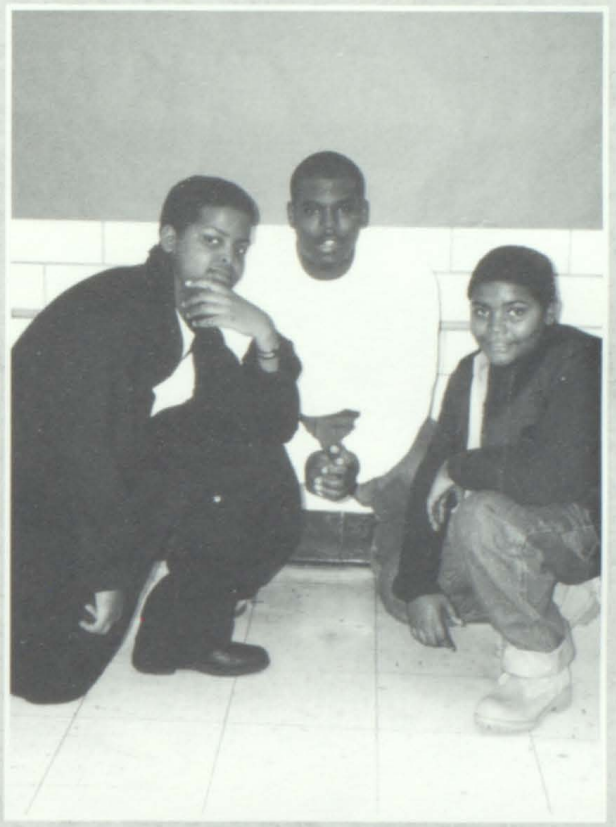


First and fore most I would like to thank the Almighty God. My mother: Thank you for giving me life, for loving me and being there for me. Oneka, Shivaughn, Granny: thank you for also loving me. To my cousins: I love you all, especially Diedra. Thank you for helping me. To my baby, my heart, thank you for waiting for me and understanding me. To my three best friends in the whole world, Chris (for being a shoulder to cry on). Jayda (my own little Chris Rock, thanks), Seretha (thanks for being there through thick and thin), I love y'all. To Waajid stay sweet and funny. To my girl Olu, thanks for keeping me laughing at work, I'll miss you. To Nellie take your time and things will go right. To Liz, and everyone I forgot, thank you. **Through my eyes** University has taught me a lot and I will never forget. **In no one shadow** will I be the best I can be. Last but not least c/o '99 THANK YOU.

Tyrone Davidson

Through My Eyes I have been able watch myself mature into a young man. With the help of some tough times which only have made me stronger. To my family: I'd like to thank my parents because without them there'd no me. I'd like to thank my grandmother for being there all of my life through good times & bad ones. You are truly a blessing to me & I will always love you.
To my sweetheart Kamilah, you will always be remembered in my heart, you really helped me to believe I belonged here @ UHS.
Special shoutouts go to my best friend Erica who has always been there for me. I would also like to thank my sisters Liz, Shell, Karry, and Marie for always being true friends. I can't forget the THE FAMILY ya'll females gone' always be cool wit' me. THE DIVAS y'all sum mo cool females.
To my DOGS: TOMMY, JESSE, AL, OTIS, KAS, KEN, JASON, and I can't forget my peoples JENNIFER R.M.A.

PEACE!!

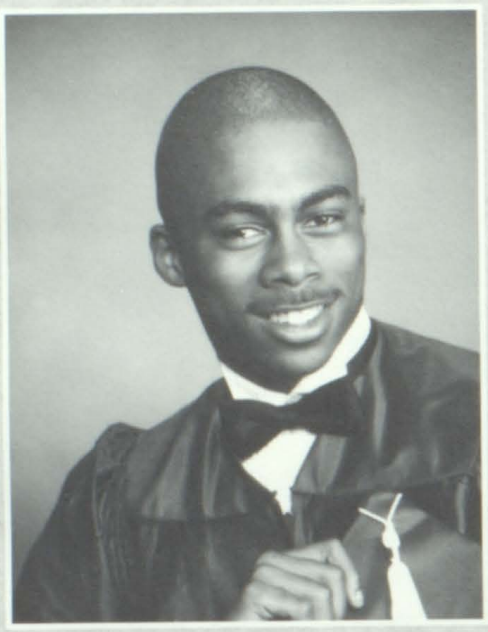


Shakeerah Davis

First, I would like to give thanks to GOD for making it possible for me to reach this point in my life. These four years at University have been the fastest four years in my life. Throughout the years I've made & lost friends. I would like to give thanks to my grandparents for taking care of me & providing me with love throughout these years. ***Through My Eyes*** *I see the days ahead of me as a challenge &* ***In No One's Shadow*** *will I follow. Special shout-outs to Rasheena for being there for me through thick & thin, I Luv U. To my road dog for life, Ida, thanks for all the good times we had, I Luv U. To my partner for encouraging me to do my best. Much Luv to my heart, Donnovan. To Da Family, If Ya'll need me I'll be there. To Fatima, we started off as enemies & ended up as friends. Thanks to all of my brothers & sisters, I Luv Y'all & remember after our grandparents are gone all we have is us. Thanks to the Newkirks. Finally, To all of those who kept talking slick about what's going down, don't talk about it.*



Jasonn Denard



This is it, the end of my childhood & the beginning of my adult life. I would first like to thank ***God*** for allowing me to achieve the things I've achieved. I would also like to thank ***my family*** for believing in me. To My *mother*, I thank & luv U for raising me to be a responsible adult. To *Aunt Janet,* thank you for teaching me to go above & beyond. To *my nana,* thank you for all the luv & support. *Aunt Mary & Towanna*: I really appreciate what you have done for me, I'm grateful and luv U a lot. To *Mr Wright* thanks for all the advice, stories & laughs that you've given me. *Aunt Pat, Peaches Ida & Torre:* I luv U guys like mothers. I would also like to thank *D,* for being there for me. Shay, Mere, Nia, JR & JB I luv y'all

Da Infamous c/o '99 . to my second fam. Mimi, Karry & Ty, we came in together & we're leaving together. To Michelle, Liz, Adrienne & Joy: U know how much U mean to me. I luv all of you like a real family. Nash & Steph I will miss U guys as well as our arguments. Steph F. & Yas: I luv U & will miss U a lot. Kamilah: Thanks for being my best friend throughout high school. To my kids, especially Hassanah & April, I'll miss U. Last but not least, my boys O, DJ. G, J, Waa, Tom, Ken, James, Al, Wayne. And everyone I forgot from **A**bby to **Z**andra. As I look back at the c/o '99 I can truly say that we were ***In No One's Shadow.***

Marie Dextra

First, I would like to thank my Lord and Savior Jesus Christ. Thanks to my parents for pushing me to do my best, for supporting me and loving me. To my grandmother, my aunts and my uncles for taking care of me when my parents were not there, I love U. To my siblings, I love U. Much love to my cousins Valerie & Regine. To my best friend Karry thanks for being there for me. April, stay the same, don't change for no one. Nelly, thanks for having my back. Goldie, I'll miss our little walks around the playground and your little silly games. Angie, I'll miss your company, especially walking home from school. To my two brothers Jasonn and Ty: I'll miss U. Thanx Jasonn for all the candy and food you've given me, I love U. To my peeps Adrienne, Joy, Steph F., Lisa thanx for being true to me. To Zandra & Abby even though we had a little misunderstanding, I still love U & I'll miss U. Al, I'll never forget our little after school arguments, I'll miss you. To all the guys, you've made my high school experience very enjoyable, I'll miss all of U. To all those whom I failed to mention, don't take it personally.

In the last 4 years I've spent at University, I have seen a lot of outrageous things, the majority of which have been done by the class of 1999. These things are what makes us stand out, that is why I say that we truly are **IN NO ONE'S SHADOW.**



Natasha Dyer

I would first like to give thanks to **GOD**, on whom I am totally dependent and who has blessed me tremendously. I am grateful.

To my mother who has always exemplified strength, may your soul rest in peace.

To Ki-Ki, Buddah, and David
Thank you for setting examples for me, even if some were wrong.
I love you and keep up the works.

To Daddy: I love you even though I don't always show it.

To all other family members: I love you too.

To my friends who I love like family:
You've been there through **THICK** and **THIN.**
I appreciate it and will always be there for you
NO MATTER WHAT!

My Xino sisters, its all LOVE
You'll always have a friend in me.

To faculty and staff: Thanks a lot!

In no one's shadow we have experienced life
And
Through our eyes we see our mistakes

Peace!



Aquila Earles-Church

I would first like to give an honor to God, my mothers, & my fathers, my predecessors and ancestors. For every one who I have had some type of encounter with, both + and - I thank U. U are the one's who have made me who I am to this day because in order to grow U must struggle, learn, & overcome. Mom, we have been through a lot together & every hurdle that was thrown in front of us, no matter how long it took, we overcame it. Many thanks & much love to Mom, Dad, Ibn, and Val. To mom and dad: I would like to thank U both for being there when I needed you emotionally & financially & for pushing me to be who I am. This is the reason why **I am In No One's Shadow.** Ms. Robinson, thanks for everything. Z, Ken, Rem, T, Eb, Ed, Shuron, & Miya, thanks for being the +'s in my life when I was surrounded by negativity. Kim, Mil, Neef, Nada, Al, Bari, Kami, Shera, Na, Olu, Chris & co., Miriam, aunts, uncles, teachers, c/o "99", & my Xino Sisters To U all I give much luv. **Through my eyes** U all are beautiful & I'll always Luv U. My apologies to those that I forgot.

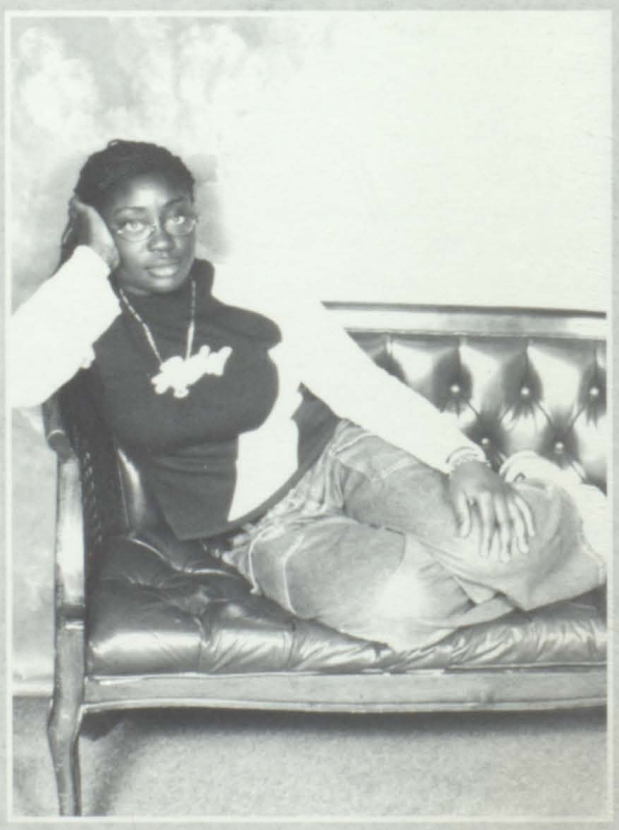


Stephanie Edwards



It started off in '93 &
I felt as if graduating was all up to me.
The past 6 yrs. have been a blessing &
I'd like to give thanks to God for all the lessons.
All those yrs. I wanted to leave,
I realized that staying would be best for me.
UHS has introduced me to many new things &
Has made me realize that other people have feelings.
My mommy: I luv u &thanks for being there.
Ricky, you're the best @ showing me u care.
true friends, u know who u are, I will miss u the most.
To my family: I am finally graduating, so prepare a toast.
My Xinos sisters: Mone, Dijah, Nel, Joy, Yas, Tasha, Z, &B
U were there when I needed you and always looked out for me.
To the divas: Steph, Nah, Tima, Abby and other peeps I forgot
U are still special, it is just that it was a lot.
To every one who helped me, especially my teachers,
Thanks for being there. It is those like u who reach us.
To Dave, Nash & Jay I don't know what I will do w/out u,
To the C/O '99 I'll really miss u!
My high school yrs. have really been fun... Oh!!
That's when I knew I was **IN NO ONES SHADOW!!**

Oluwabunmi Fawole



Through My Eyes, I entered University High 4 years ago and had no perspective on high school life. I encountered both many new faces and a new environment. These past years have helped me develop into a strong mature young lady.

Before I put these years to an end, I must thank the people who have helped make my success possible. First I would like to thank God for his many blessings. I have to thank myself for hanging in there through the good and bad times and for being my sexy self. To my Family: thank you for the foundation that you have laid down for me, it has led me ***In No One's Shadow.*** I deeply appreciate your nurturing and guidance to my life. The love that you have shown me will never be forgotten. To my teachers and coaches: thank you for taking the time out to teach me with your knowledge and wisdom and showing that you care. To Mo, Aps, and My Buddy Tashera: thanks for being my sisters. To the Class Of 99, I wish you all the best of luck. You guys are the best.

Through Our Eyes, We came, We saw, We conquered.
And We leave ***In No One's Shadow.***

Chinaire Fields



To the most inspirational person in my life -GOD, Thanx! No doubt these six years have been educa tional, but they have also been a struggle. Thanx Mom for raising me to be the independent, healthy, and strong woman that I am today. Dad Thanx for accepting ALL of my decisions no matter how big or small. To Raynelle and Kareem "I DID IT FOR THE FIELDS FAMILY!" Queen and Karon, remember that Auntie will always LOVE YA'LL! Mike "Florida ain't ready for you!" Erica, Thanx for bending over backwards for me. You will always be a "C" note. Kisha Thanx for all the midnight talks about life. See you at the rink on graduation night, thought you would. The C/O "99" Good Luck In The Future! Lastly, to all the eyes that were rolled and all the laughs that were laughed keep drinking those hater-shakes because I told you from the start I never walked "**In No One's Shadow**!"

Stephanie Foard



It's been a long, hard six years. It seemed like everyone was against us. But one thing's for sure, we were **IN NO ONE'S SHADOW**! No one liked us, but when it came down to it we stood as a class, and that made us great.

The only reason that I have made it this far is because of the great people who have helped me through it all. First, my parents who always supported me, which made me strong. My sister, Jessica. My friends. Zandra, my BFF, my sister, my comrade. Words can't express how much you mean to me. Smoochie boochies! My girls to the end: Joy, RT, Kamilah, Michelle, Abby, mi mama, Olu (#1 bus), Hurt, McLoed, Simone and Channel. All the Spencer heads. The van crew: Marie, Karry, Angie, and Yaz. The Divas. My boys: Otis, Jasonn, Al, Dwayne, Ken, and my secret service. My junior peeps: Keona, Shakima, Herb, and Mike. The volleyball and softball players. My teachers: Ms. Hewitt, thank you for helping me find something that I love. Ms. Rivera, gracias por ensenarme espanol. Ms. James, Hank, and Ms. Ferrera. PLP and all my comrades, who have changed my life in a way nothing else ever could. I couldn't have done it without you. I hope I have impacted your lives as much as you all have impacted mine. Keep on fighting!

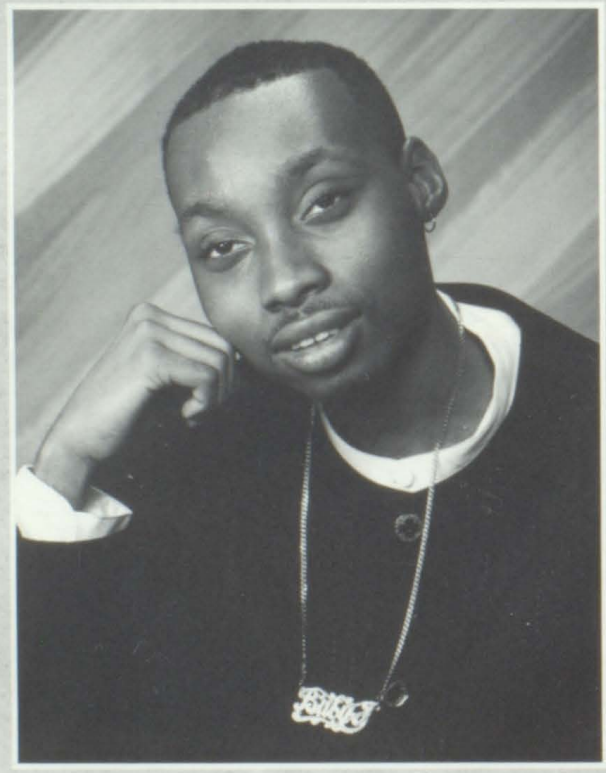
Remy Folnke

"Father I stretch my hand to thee, for no other help I know. If thou would withdraw thyself from me, where would I go."



Above all things, I give my highest respect & honor to my Creator. Who blessed me with the gift of determination & perseverance, & to whom I owe my existence. I must honor those who have been my backbone & foundation. *Mom* (Andaiye), I luv U so much. U have taught me to walk ***In No One's Shadow***. *Daddy*, from you I gained the stubbornness that never allowed me to give up, I luv U. *Grandma*, I thank U for showing me the importance of practicing what U preach full-heartedly. To *Ta-rell*: thanx for being not only my boyfriend but also my bestfriend. U understand me, and I show U much luv for that. To *Aqila*, *Therese*, and *Maisha*, thanx for being my true sisters. I could come to U for any and every thing. I luv y'all. I also give luv to *Al*, *Jamille*, *James J.*, and *Kim*. R.I.P. *Grandaddy*, *Yvonne (Eve)*, and *Majied*. To my table crew: *Olu*, *Nashid*, and *Tashera*, continue to bug out wherever U go. To my Xinos sisters: may God bless U all.

James Gilbert



I would like to thank all my teachers for helping me to obtain the knowledge necessary for me to get through high school. Giving special thanks to Ms. Sanford and Mr. Hayes because they took the time to give me the extra push that I needed to excel, when I wanted to give up.

Because of your encouragement I am graduating high school and will be entering college in the fall. **Through my eyes,** the past 3 years have been productive and interesting thanks to the people I met here.

I would like to wish all my friends a blessed and prosperous future. Although I will miss my classmates and friends, I am glad to be getting out of high school and moving on to college.

Peace and Love

Monique Gregory



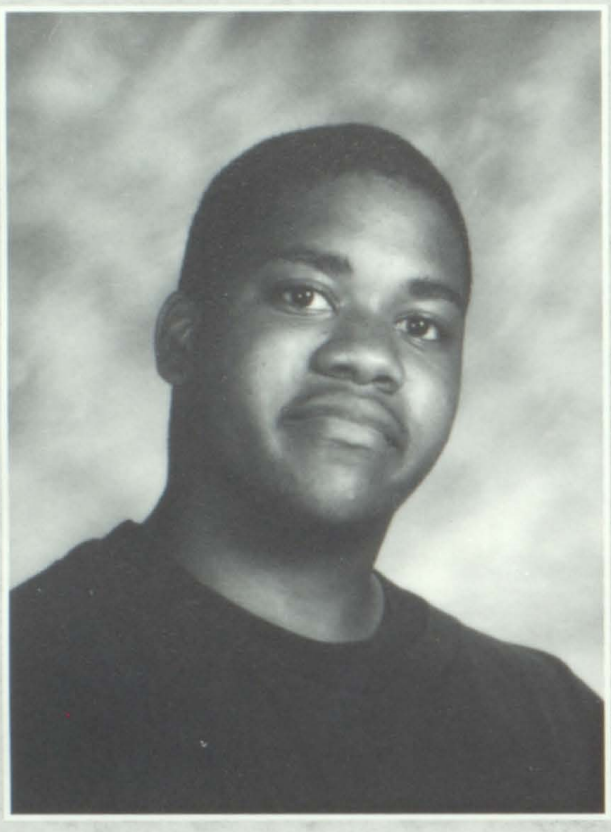
Through my eyes, I look back on my four years and wonder how did I make it? Four years ago I entered University as a freshman. I didn't know what would happen or what to expect. It's been hard, but a true learning experience. I changed from a little girl to a young lady. But through it all, the good and the bad, I can only thank God for bringing me through it all. For sending me people like my loving parents who raised and stood by me every step of the way. My mentor Mr. Scott who has been there since the beginning, the one who talked and kept me focused through school. And to my three best friends, Lisa, Harmeem and Olu. And to the table crew, you know who you are. **Through my eyes** I saw learned and felt many things. To the Class of 99, much love and success in the future.

Erica Griffin



First I would like to thank God. Mom, Dad, & Grandma I finally made it, thanks for everything. I would like to say 'whatz up' to all of my family. To my Boo-Boo, JoJuan thanks for showing me mad love over the past year. Now for the people at U.H.S: to Tyrone, my best friend, I love you, thanks for being there whenever I needed you. To Otis, we had a good time freshman and sophomore year, but some how we fell off junior year, but we'll always be friends. ,To all of the boys from the class of '99 it's been fun. To my family at U.H.S. we made it! Mad love to all of y'all. To my little sisters at U.H.S. y'all will be here in 5 more years, good luck. To my "Sista" Kisha, we've been through a lot, but no matter what, you're still my "sista." To my dog Mookadon a.k.a Chinaire who was always there for me when nobody else was, stay true I love you, you my dog. To Mrs. Anderson thanks for being there to give me a ride whenever I needed one and for everything else you have done for me. Last but not least, to all of those people with Ph.D.'s: y'all all know what y'all can do for me because I'm still gonna do things my way because, I walk **"In No One's Shadow"**.

La Quan Guilford



First and foremost I would like to thank God for being where I am today. I would like to thank my family for being there for me and putting up with me. I would like to thank my church family for their prayers and support. In my six years at University, I have seen some drastic changes being made to the school as a whole. I have seen new people come in and other students leave. It has been a real "school" roller-coaster. **Through my eyes**, I have observed myself and how I entered this school as a "little boy", but have seen myself grow over the years and become the mature young man that I am today. I would like to thank all of my teachers for their support and guidance. I'd like to give special shoutouts to Mrs. Gironda and Ms. Hewett for their time, support, and advice. My boys- Dwayne, James, and Terry; my boy Waajid; "crazy" Marie; and much love to the rest of the Senior class. I was **in No One's Shadow** to be where I am today. I continued to succeed because of my perseverance.

PEACE OUT!!!

Michelle Hardy



First,I'd like to thank ***GOD***, for giving me the strength and power to make it thru 6 yrs. At first it was a struggle but ended up 6 of the best years of my life. My parents instilled in me morals and standards that have helped and will continue to help me survive. I love you with all my heart. Mrs. Anderson, I love and appreciate you and I'll never forget how you acted as my second mom, encouraging me, watching my back, and helping me make the right decisions.

Special friends like ***Kamilah***, ***Liz***, & ***Ida***, motivated me and stuck with me through it all: THANX! ***Otis***, me and you go way back and we've been through a lot. Fortunately, we survived with you being a great friend. I love you lots! ***Tyrone***, ***Al***, ***Kaleef***, ***Jesse***, ***Tommy***, ***Jasonn*** and especially ***Shawn***, thanx for showing me mad love, filling in that big brother space that was partially empty during my six years. ***Steph***, ***Julia***, ***"B"***, ***Zandra***,***Joy*** and ***Jenn***,and ***Yaz*** I can't forget your true friendship.

Mad love to Ms. Hewett, Mrs. James, Mrs. Boxley, Mrs. Gironda, Mr. Charles, and Mr. Hankerson.

C/O: 99 IS, ALWAYS HAS BEEN, AND ALWAYS WILL BE,
"IN NO ONE'S SHADOW!"

Simone Johnson

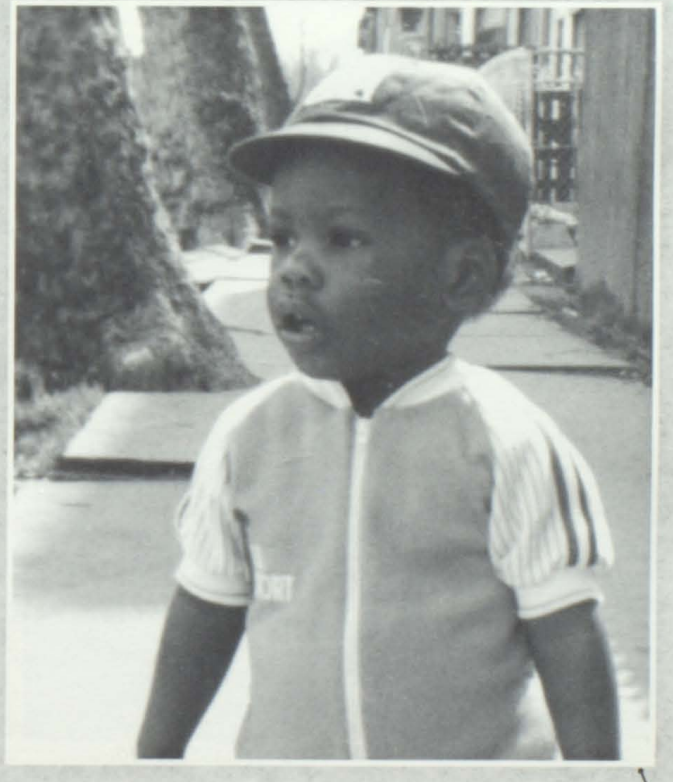


No shoutout would be complete w/out first giving thanx to God, then to my mom. Thank u for your luv, guidance, & support. Thank u to my maternal grandparents for all of your caring & giving. To Quay, u are my heart.

The 6 yrs. I have spent in UHS are some of the most memorable years of my life. It was here that I grew & matured into the woman I am now. For helping me do so, I would like to thank all my DPi Xinos 'sistas', esp. Di, Z, Nel, Bi, Tasha, Yaz, Toya, Joy & Quilah. A touch of luv to my ex, Kaleef, and to my boys JD, Shid, "O", Ty, JP, Al, TAP, Wayne, & Glenn. To Nikki M. & Remy, may we succeed in finding love. Big-up to Abby, Steph F., Tashera, Da Divas, and to all my Spencer heads. Mad luv to my boo, Jay, thanx for the happiness u bring. To the ***Class of 1999***, it's been real & Good Luck. Shoutout to my younger Xinos and Kudos, esp. Angie, Tay & Quadir. Luv goes out to all the lotas and a selected few of those who have already left big Uni. Thank u to Mrs. Noble, without you I would be lost & confused. Thank you Ms. Hewett, Mrs. Ferrara, Mrs. James, Mrs. Gironda, Ms. Sanford & Mrs. White, for helping to open my eyes & see myself and the world around me. Now I can honestly say that I can see much clearer **"Through My Eyes"**.

Nashid Kalimah

First and foremost, I would like to thank Allah and my mother. THey have carried me this far, and now it's time for me to put my feet on the ground. I would also like to thank my Grandmother and Godmother for being there when I needed them. To my friends Quila, Neicy, Liyah, Stacey, Remy, Qila, T. Olu, and Big, fun-loving' Tashera, love ya. To Jasonn and Steph, I will miss the arguments. Smooches to Kamilah. To Nicole, my English friend, always keep it real. To the people I didn't mention, you hold a place in my heart, just not in my halfpage. I have spent six years in this school, I have dealt with all types, so I say this to you people: I was never mean or sarcastic, just truthful. Think about it. Some of us didn't always get along, and I thought didn't contribute anything to my life. I was wrong though - you were the ones who taught me to be more thick skinned than I already was, and even less naive. Special thanks to Ms. Jones, Ms. Ferrera, Ms. Gilmore and Ms. Blackmon. Channel baby, you know you were going to be in here somewhere. I love you girl.



Makia Long

When I came to UHS six years ago, I took it as a joke, I figured it would be easy to get good grades. But to my surprise, it was really a challenge. Once I graduated from the eighth grade and entered the ninth, I knew that I was ready to accept this challenge. As time went on, I noticed that I matured from a little girl to a lady. Without God and Mom by my side, none of this would have been possible. So I would like to give them thanx and ask them to keep being there for me. I want to thank my brothers for their unconditional luv. I can't forget my family. I would like to thank all my teachers. I especially Ms. Hewett for being a good volleyball coach. And to the volleyball team for sticking together. I want to give a shout out to: The Family: much love. RMA to my sister Ida, I luv u girl. To Tyrone for making me laugh. Last but not least, my best friend Tae, who was there for me when I needed a shoulder to cry on. I'll always luv u. We grew toghether and learned to live in no one's shadow. Mad luv to the Class of 99.
I did it, y'all!



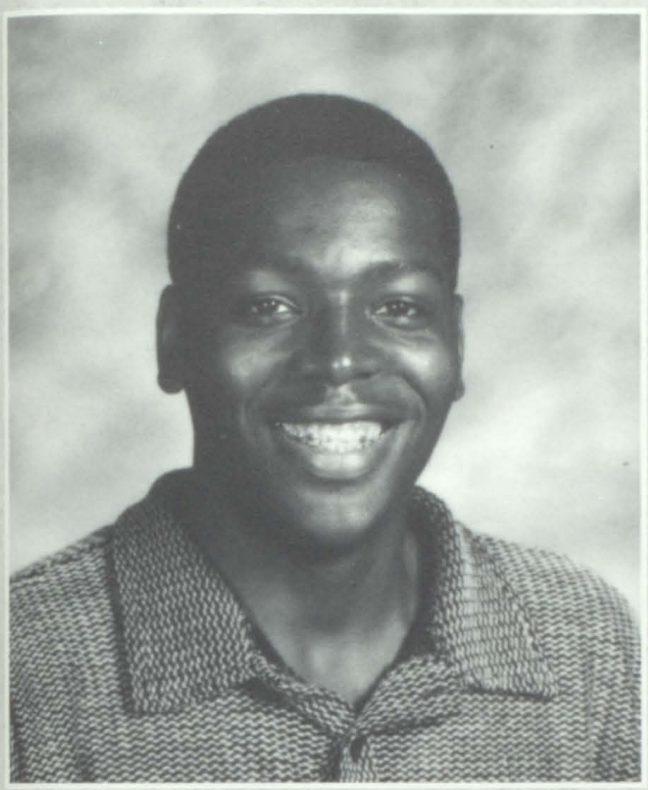
Abigail Longchamp



For six years University has been my life. I have built myself up as a person and have grown as a mature, intelligent, beautiful individual. For this grandiose achievement, I would like to thank my parents, I love you both with all my heart. To my brothers John, Marc, Guy, Moo and Natee and sister Jael, you have all aided and guided me. I love you all in a dear and special way and I thank you for your support, I will not let you down. I thank my God Jehovah, because w/o Him I would not be here and not have accomplished what I have today. I would like to thank the administrators who took a special interest in me. Lastly thank you Mar, my best friend who I can always lean on and talk to.

THROUGH OUR EYES the c/o 99 has seen a lot of objection, conflict, & definite problems, yet through it all we have stood as a united body, strong! I would like to give a shout out to all the Divas, I love you all. To my extended family Zandra, Steph, and Jesse I will never forget you. To Willie, my dog, thank you for being there. To friends I lost and gained, thank you, you have helped me grow as a person. And to our small assembly of senior young men, continue to succeed. I am happy to see that we have all grown as individuals and with this no one can deny that the class of '99' has walked IN ***NO ONES SHADOW!***

James Martin



First and formost, I'd like to thank God and my parents for putting up with me for 17 years. I'd like to thank all the teachers at University whom I knew for my entire high school years. I would like to shout my uno crew: La'quan, Terry, Jennifer, and Rukiya. The NWOites that I had all the arguments with in the morning: Jason, and Waynehead. The basketball crew Otis, Al, Ty, Glenn, Wajidd. Since we never were in anyone's shadow, we are all going to shine. To all the heads who I have been with for four years, and those who I have been with for six, I am going to miss you all. I am especially going to miss those peeps I have been with for six years: Abby, Zandra, Julia, Nicole, Simone, Kaleef, Tommy, and so on. If I missed anyone which I know I did, I am truly sorry. I am going to miss you all, and I could say I learned to love all of you. We have been through thick and thin, but we had each others' back. **Through my eyes** we are all players in this game. So don't hate the player, hate the game.

Nikiya Mathis



I'd give it all up in a day
A, Joy, Jen, Z
Just to see a DIVA's face
Nicole, Nelle, Steph and B
Through my eyes I contemplate
Yaz, Simone, Tasha, Remy
Our yesterdays, -
Olu, Quila, Toya and Chelly
Though memories fade.
Kamilla, Lisa, Karry, Abby
I count the days we sat in class
Dija, Naima, Tanisha and Mimi
Missing Times Nas and JD made us laugh
Al, O, Jid, Tommy . . .
Realities lie cold upon my face
And suddenly I've lost my place . . .

Adrienne Mc Leod



First, I would like to give thanks to the Lord for all the blessings he has bestowed upon me. Thanks to the best family in the world. Ma, there are no words that can express my luv for u. Dad thanks for being there whenever I need u. To my brother Sean, we used to argue everyday, but we've both matured & couldn't be closer. To my grandma & aunts, thanks for helping me stay focused on what is important. To my second mom, Mrs. Hill, thanks for never losing faith in me. I luv u ma.

My memories of Big Uni wouldn't be the same without a few special people. To my ***real Divas***, especially Kiya, Karry, Joy, Steph F, Z, Mimi, Dijah, Nel, & Tima (GBLC), I luv u all for being there when no one else was. To my fam, Nashid, Ty & Jasonn, I luv u all & will miss u dearly. I'd like to thank Jermaine, Derrick, Nisa, Ken, & Al for listening to my problems & giving me advice. To Shan, who would have known that 16 years later, we'd still be able to put up with one another. To my peeps I didn't mention, thank u, I luv u, & always remember to remain **"In No One's Shadow.**

Jennifer Mc Millan

Giving Jesus Christ the glory, honor, and praise. Thanks to my late mother (Brenda McMillan), father, both grandmothers, (Grandma & MaMa) all my aunts and uncles on both sides of my family. Thanks to my beautiful sisters, Tara, Di-Di, Shantel, Jhamirah and to my loving brothers, Charles, Khalif, Tay-Shawn. Thanks to my cousin Niecy who treated me like a sister. To my godly family, my moms, Lydia & my sister/best friend Nikiya, Mrs. Wilson & Vicki ***Through my eyes*** I have seen myself & the **C/O 99** transform into young mature adults. I have decided to always try to make the best out of every situation. To my special friend Al-Jamar. To my peeps Tyrone. To my lunch table crew, I luv eating with you. To all of my teachers, thanks for guidance and introduction to different careers.

To the **C/O 99:** *We Are the Generation that Will Place New Footsteps on New Land, Call the Shots, and Make a Difference.* ***IN NO ONE'S SHADOW,*** *We Are the Ones Who will Always Obtain the Highest Peak in all Good Things.*

"THE MILLENIUM IS OURS"



Nicole Neal

Giving honor to God who is the alpha & the omega of my life I thank You for the daily strength that You instill within me. ***Through My Eyes***, all the experiences that I have encountered have made me stronger. Even the prettiest, perfect pearl must go through years of preparation. The oyster from which it comes creates & nurtures it to make it the magnificent symbol of beauty that we all cherish. To my family, thank U for the foundation that U have built for me. Like the oyster, U all have contributed to my preparation in becoming a "pearl".
To my "Fam", I love U all. We are all seeds planted & rooted in the same ground. Now we are sprouting into beautiful & uniquely designed flowers. To my teachers, thanks for taking the time out to show that U care. To the friends that I have lost, that I have gained,& those who were there through thick and thin, thanks for showing me how important it is to stick by my ideals.
It is now that I can say; I am who I am because I am ***In No One's Shadow***. Tricia I love you. R.I.P. "T.C." Mad love to Danny and Dajaun.

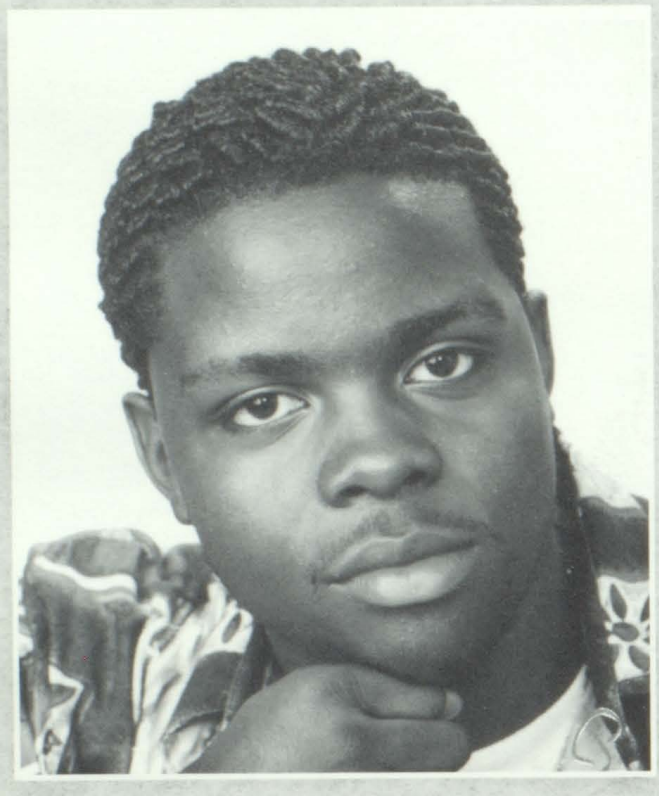


Therese Nelson

It is said that human potential is boundless. I feel that my life and time at University High has been a definite model of this idea. Throughout my career I have experienced a myriad of successes along with an equal amount of failures, but I have emerged from them all victorious. **Through My Eyes** the world is now unlimited and I am ready to venture into it. University High has definitely provided me with a stellar education, but more importantly has taught me how to live my life and enter the world **In No One's Shadow**. To my exceptional peers, we have all made it! We are now off to experience life and to make our separate journeys meaningful. Good Luck! To Aqila and Remy, I love you both and I am a better person because you are my friends. To Dwayne, Nashid, Terry, LaQuan, Glenn, James, Shenice, Jiny, the girl's tennis team, my Xinos sisters, UHS faculty, and those who now escape me, but I dearly love, you have each made my high school experience profound and I will always remember you.



Tommy Patterson



First off thanx to the Creator, for letting me make it this far. To mom and dad THANX for giving me your all and leading the way. No matter how little I say it, I luv u guys. To Shelton, Renee, Sina, Kera, and JR. thanx for being a part of my life. To all my aunts, uncles, and cousins thanx for lookin out for me. To understand my 6 years in UHS only **THROUGH MY EYES** will u see, so thanx to the staff for keepin on me. To the Shabazz coaching staff thanx for inspiring me in life and helping to mold me into the person I am today. To all my Bulldog fam it's been fun fellaz MAD LUV RMA.

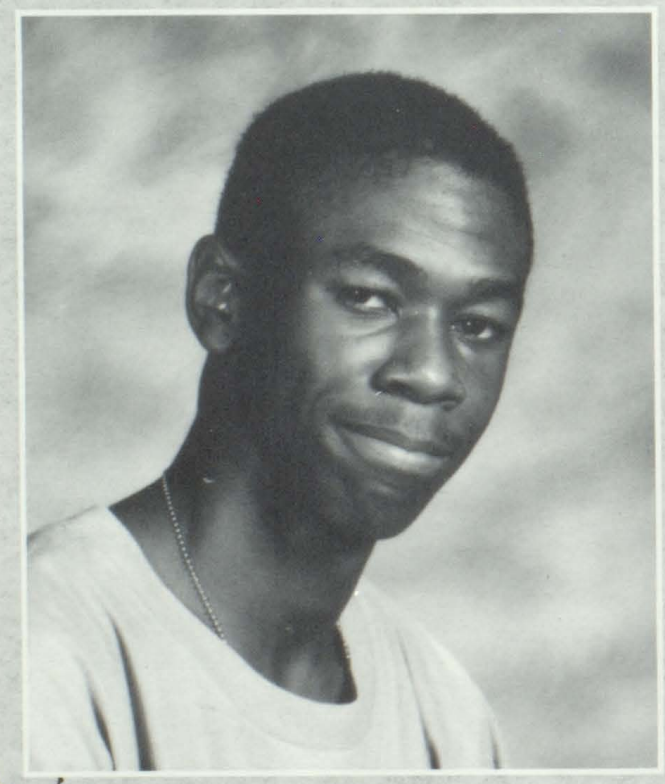
Shoutouts to my dearest Yaz u were always there for me. To Channel keep being strong. To the following people it's been real Tima, Jane, Abby, Na-Ne-Ne, B, Steph E, Steph F, Adrienne, Jenn, Mi-Chel, Joy, Marie, Karry, Dijah, Simone, Tasha, Cole, and sweet Liz, Kam, Jule, Quil, Tash, Naire, Kera, E, and the FAM as a whole.

To my road dogz:Jesse Kaleef, Otis, Tyrone, Ken, Al, Jasonn, MAD LUV Wayne, James, Jid, Terry, Glenn, STAY UP FELLAZ and to the rest of my fellas and ladies **IN NO ONE'S SHADOW**

RMA C/O 99

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Terry Perry



First and foremost, I want to thank everyone that supported me and I want to thank my family for always believing in me.

Through my eyes, I have seen people become successful and make something of themselves. I want to give a shout out to all my friends and teachers who stood by me. Have a good time incoming classes

Karry Peterson



First things first. I would like to give honor & praise to my Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, thru whom all things are possible. Ma, thank you for always being there for me, giving me luv, & support. I luv u. To **all** my relatives thanks for encouraging & believing in me. To Mimi & Melissa, my sisters/best friends, thanks for always caring & listening to my never ending problems & for giving me advice which I never used (smile). Adrienne & Angie, words can't explain how much I'll miss u two. To the van crew, Steph F., Zandra, & Jessica, I'll miss all of u dearly. Yaz, Nel (my side show partners), Joy ,Lisa, April, & Niki, it won't be the same without ya'll. To all the fellas, especially my to brothers Jasonn & Ty, freaky-deaky Nashid, & Al, I'll never forget ya. Shout out to my E.O. crew, I luv ya'll. Those I failed to mention, nothing personal, I hope you have success & happiness in the years to come. **Through my eyes**, I've seen a lot of things happen that have caused me to definitely believe we are,

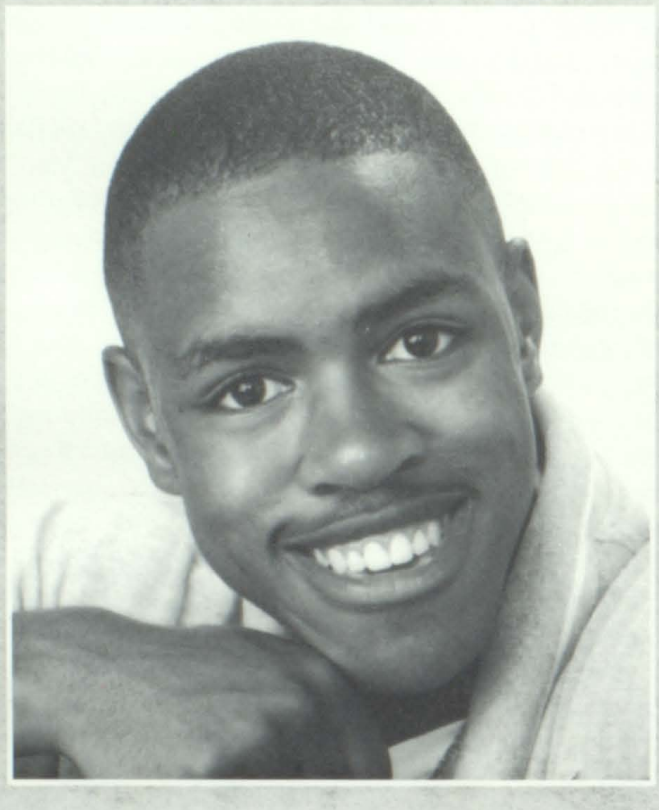
"In No One's Shadow."

Joy Phillips

THANX 2: God, mommy, & daddy w/o you
"What Would I've Done"
6 YEARS AT U.H.S: What an obstacle! I've had good & bad times.
"Memories Will Live N Me 4ever"
2 MY PEEPS:
Steph,Karry,Adrienne,Nikiya,Nashid,Gid,Mimi,Lisa,Al,Otis,Jason Glen,Yaz,Abby,Wayne,Chelle,& Milah
"I'll Never 4get Ya'll"
4GET MY SISTERS (NOT!):
Zandra,Dijah,Biah,Tash,Mone,Nicole,Toya,& Nell.
I'll never 4get the fun we had.
"I Luv Y'all 4 Life"



Jesse Powell



First and Foremost, I would like to thank GOD for blessing me. Next I would like to thank Emma Powell for your love and support. Dad thanks for being the best father possible. To my sisters Evonne, Peaches, Pam, and Keisha and brother Kenny, I looked up to y'all a lot. And to all the rest of my family, especially to all my nephews and nieces, I love you! Any of my family who I missed, in laws, family friends, forgive me, I'm pressed for words. I want to thank the whole University High School and class of '99. To all my friends and their families: thanks for treating me like your son. I want to give a big shout-out to Natasha and the Hill family for embracing me with open arms. Thanks to the whole school staff, especially Ms. Heyl and Mrs. Johnson. And big shoutout to my people: Ken, Kaleef, Otis, Tommy, Tyrone, Jasonn, Al, and my Shabazz football team and coaches. Much love to the UHS athletic staff. And I can't forget all the girls, I'll miss y'all. Especially the FAMILY & the Divas! Stay safe graduating classes, and class of '99.

Melissa Isis Rivera

It's all over now. Six years have passed and I've seen it all, **Through my eyes**. Thank You Father; you made it possible.
Through the years at University, many times have passed. Whether they were full of joy or gloom, all were memorable.
Friendships came, and some were lost, Love even came and went. Yet, above these things I will always know that I came, I saw and I took with me the keys needed to continue my walk.

I give my utmost thanks to my Lord and Savior who carried me thus far. To Mom, thank you for seeing those things that I could not, for giving me all you had to offer. To all those at University: thank you for being there, a family till the end. Especially you Dap, thanks for letting the Lord use you. Last, I'd like to give thanks to My Love. You gave me the love I needed to believe, to hope and expect. Thanks.

Now I continue my walk. For I am, and will always be,
In No One's Shadow!



Asma Salaam



When I came to UHS 3 years ago, I didn't know what to expect. I hoped it would be easy, but it was both challenging and fun. With time, I noticed that I had matured from a little girl to a young lady. Without God and My mom and dad at my side none of this would have been possible. I would like to thank them and ask them to keep being there for me. I want to thank my brothers for their unconditional love. I can't forget my family. I want to give a shout out to my family, and much luv. I'd like to thank all my teachers for being there for me. Especially Mrs. Muhammad for being a good English teacher, I Love You. Mr. Hayes: Thanks for making me laugh. And to my friend Fatu, thanks for being there when I needed a shoulder to cry on. I'll always luv you.

Congratulations to the whole class. Good luck in the future.

April Santiago



Through My Eyes, these past four years have been a journey I will not soon forget.

My years at UHS have been like a roller coaster ride: some days were filled with ups, others with downs, some fast and furious, others lazy and boring. But through it all, I knew that I would come out exhilarated and thanking the Lord for seeing me through.

I would like to thank my family for loving me and sharing your strength with me. I have not always been a model child, but I have always loved you and relied on you. Thank you for always wanting the best for me.

I have made a few good friends along the way. Thanks for being there to share the laughter and the tears. I will remember you always.

Even though we went through three principals and three vice-principals in as many years, the faculty has done their best through some chaotic times. Thank you for sharing your knowledge and caring about me enough to insist that I give you my best.

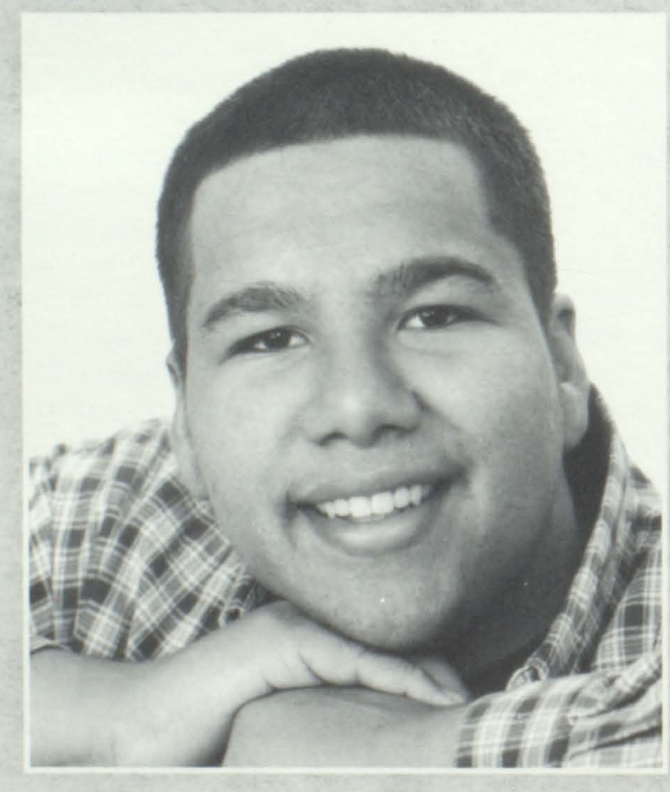
To the Class of 1999: Congratulations, and enjoy the rest of the roller coaster ride, the one they call Life.

Safanya Nicole Searcy



The first thing that a person who has been stuck in the same building with the same people for 6 years has to say is THANK GOD IT'S OVER! However, I must admit that University High has caused a significant change in my life. I would like to thank all of the teachers and faculty members who have provided their instructions to help me make very wise decisions in the past 6 years. I thank God for His favor and grace on my life and for keeping me in peace of mind and giving me the courage to strive for the best. To Mrs. Gironda, you have been very motivating in my life. Thank you for being there and I love you. To my parents, Pastors Joseph and Sherri Leonard, I treasure our relationship and I thank God each and every day for placing you in my life. Thank you for being there every time I needed you and thanks for all of your wonderful parental guidance. I love you with all my heart. To my sister Angel, God is going to reward you for all your faithfulness. I love you and keep working hard. To my grandfather Apostle Ernest Leonard, your life and your ministry gives me the spirit of determination to know that I am going to make it. I love you very much. To my grandmother, Peggy Searcy, thank you for doing all of the things that have been productive in my life. I love you very much. To Auntie Karan and Uncle Leroy, you are the best aunt and uncle a little girl could ask for. Thank you for everything you have done for me. I will never forget it and I love you. To the "Brat Pack" (Gabrielle, Dana, and Ernest) I love you. Make me happy and do well in school. To the Provision of Promise family, you're the best and I love you. To Liz, Jesse, and Chinare, I never will forget those Madison days and I'll always remember you. Lastly, to the greatest and most precious class of 1999, I think that all of our experiences together have strengthened us to be the great people that we are. God bless each and every one of you and I pray that your lives will be productive, flourishing, strong and everything else you want them to be. Always remember that you don't have to be **in no one's shadow** because God's got your back.

Dwayne Searwar



First and foremost I would like to thank God and my mother for putting up with me for all these years. I have experienced a lot and seen even more ***Through My Eyes*** and it has made me a better person. From the first day I came to this country to now, I have lived everyday as if it was my life because it is a strange world out there. I would like to thank all the teachers that made a difference in my life, to all my friends, for brightening my day when I was in the dumps. To my enemies, the few there are- who have kept me on my toes. A special thanks to my grandmother for cooking such great food. I would also like to thank everyone who took a chance on someone like me, you know who you are.

Now as the four years have past I have finally realized that I am ***In No One's Shadow***. To everyone I have forgotten I am sorry and I thank you. To all the people that doubted me, I am here now, they should have never let me in the door. And a special shoutout to Zandra.

Ken Simons



Six years in University High School! It sounds like a long time but it was pretty quick. Many obstacles were conquered in my quest for success thanks to the help from family and friends. First and foremost I must thank **God** for giving me the strength to make it this far. To my **mother** thanks for everything. Without you I'd be lost, without a path to follow. **Nikki**, my big sister, thanks for being there for me. I love you both. Dad this is the first step to success; there will be many more to come. Thanks.

To my partner, **Julia**, I Love You, I'll always be there for you! To my closest road dogs, in no particular order **Michelle, Kaleef, Jesse, Tommy**, Al, Otis, Tyrone, Jasonn, **Nicole**, Yas, Adrienne, Erica, Steph F & E, Rabiah, Zandra, Abby, Tasha, Quilah, Kamilah, Fatima, Shakerah, and Angela. To my best friend Tiha, the world is yours! To the rest of the '99 class I'm sorry but space was tight.
To Mrs. **James** thanks for being there for me and giving me inspiration. Also thanks to Ms. Hewett, Mrs. Rivera, Mrs. Blackmon and Mrs. Heyl.

Remember: *You can only do you, don't let others do you wrong, then you can say that you will never be* ***in no one's shadow.***

Julia Singleton

Throughout my life I've experienced so much but I made it through the fire. Thanks to the God whom I trust, with mom & dad by my side to give love & provide. Thanks to my cousins in school whom I love cause they're cool, ya'll know we are the best and kept the haters in check. My heart & soul Darion, thanx for giving me all your love & time. My sis Quil who's my heart & my guide -thanx for being my rock with each step & each stride. To my partner Ken, I love you. Thanks for being a friend. My sis Liz-check it! My broke buddy Tasha and my best friend Kaleef, thanx for listening to me whenever I speak. No matter what obstacle or problem we meet, ***through my eyes*** we can grasp anything if we reach. It hurts me to think how we'll all spread apart to get our lives together. I know how I'll cry when we say our goodbyes & leave high school forever. But it's a step we must take & the road we must trod to explore new horizons & grow. So if you ever need strength or feel you can't go on, hang tight, don't let go & remember those times with the fam at the High, how we rolled ***in no one's shadow.***



Fatima Sowell



First, I would like to thank the Lord above for the many blessings. To my aunt Mar and Uncle Barry much love is given, I owe you a special thanx. I would also like to thank U Mom for being there when I needed U, I love U. Thanx Grandma for listening to my side. Rassan, Kiea, Billy and Zah thanx for all the brotherly love. To Nah and Deeq Thanx for being there when I needed a sisterly chat, I love y'all. Thanx to my cousins Sha and Nika, stay strong. To my partner "Frank Nitty" I Love You and Thanx for all the **Fun Times**. U will never be forgotten. To all **Da Divas** Coley, Z. Dee, Nell, B. Abby, Toya, Adrienne and all the other divas we had our ups and downs, but were **in no one's shadow**. Thanx to all my teachers for helping me get through all the drama at Uni. To all the boys O, Al, TP, J. Ty Kas, and all the others: Live to the **fullest**. To my dog Keerah, even though we weren't that cool in the beginning making new friends is what it is all about. Stay strong Playa. Last but certainly not least, to that special person in my life, thanx for helping me keep my head up and I love U.
To Da C/O "99" Live On!

Jennifer Spencer

Giving praises to GOD to whom I owe my life. I thank you Almighty GOD, for the strength you give me everyday to take another step in my life. **Through my eyes,** I have experienced only part of a struggle. Even the brightest and smartest student must go through hard years of aches and pains, but the years of high school gives everyone preparation for the future.

To my "Fam" I luv U all and I always believed that, "It takes a village to raise a child." To my Teachers, thanx for taking the time to show me that U cared about my education & goal. To C/O 99 those I have gained & those I have lost on my path to success, always believe in yourself & remember where U come from. Never let anyone drive U off your path. Everyone desires an equal chance.

Special shout-out to my fellows: Big Al, DJ Kerm, Rukiya and the rest of my peoples. No disrespect if you are not mentioned.
To my Fatz Kats you are my boo and I love you so much. Now I can say, I am my own person because I am "**In No One's Shadow**".



Lakisha Stephens



I like to say aloha to all my coma idles. What's up everybody, I finally made it! Giving honor to my Lord, & Savior Jesus Christ, He has brought me a long way. I would like to thank my parents for supporting me in everything I did, for raising me to be the young lady I have grown to be, and for teaching me **never to walk in anyone's shadow**. I luv you mom and dad. I would like to say to the family, thanks for being such good friends to me, and even though we had our bad times we have matured, and remained friends through all of the pettiness, and nonsense. I would also like to thank someone special for all the things you have done for me, and to me because you have helped me learn from my mistakes, mature, and because of this I have become the person I am today. **In my eyes** we the c/o of '99 have been through a lot of unnecessary bull, but that was in the past, and we all need to grow up and stop hatin' on each other! I luv all ya'll, good luck in the future.

Aquilah Suber

It is now '99 & I can finally say I am glad to be out of U.H.S. First I would like to give thanks to the man above, my mom & dad for giving me life & support for all these years in whatever I did.

Through my eyes I can say that I have blossomed into a beautiful young lady. I would also like to thank my family for always believing in me. To my nieces, Pumpkin and Tiarah. Auntie luvs you!
Now to *my other family,* Y'all have stuck with me through thick & thin, had my back everyday, & showed me mad luv over the years. I wish all of u the best in what y'all do. To my sister Kenya, who was there for me through the good times & the bad ones. Whether I lose or if I win, I know one thing that'll never change & that's u as my best friend. Luv ya! To my best friend- Jesse, who was there for me when I needed him. To my partner Kaleef, thanx for being there. No matter what, u will always be a part of my life. Luv ya! Those who I forgot, u will always be remembered. Before I go I will leave u with this: Always be a leader & never follow **In Any One's Shadow"**



Tashera Taliaferro

A man always quoted to his family, "If pain doesn't break u or kill u, it makes u stronger". That man proved to me that I'm very strong. May my grandfather, Harold Taliaferro, Sr.,R.I.P. The pain I endured at University made me heroic in many eyes, friends, family, & even myself. Six long & joyous years of sharing good & bad times, can make a person yearn for another six. Many times we complain about getting out, but when you get close to out u hope something will draw u back. Thinking back on the past brings tears to a person's eyes. **Through our eyes,** they are tears of happiness. One thing I must do before I forget is give thanx. Thank u LORD for getting me thus far in life. Thanx MOMMY for providing me with faith to keep striving, a home to always come to, a shoulder to lean & cry on, a reason to always smile, & staying on my case when I slip. Thanx Daddy for making me your little girl & spoiling me, whether u know it or not that allowed me to believe I can do anything I want, that can keep me afloat. Now I must give my Big-Ups to Qila, Remy, Olu, & Chanel. Mad luv to J.D., & Shid. All respect & thanx to Kina and Taliah for showing me what its like to have sisters & what true best friends are. Tiffany H., u must strive & thrive in order to survive. One luv & I'm out!



Dapaque Terrel



All praises go to the Heavenly father, Jesus Christ who is the head of my life and has given me the strength to go on. With out him, my success would not have been possible. Lots of love goes out to my family who has supported me along the way and has helped me in any situation. Special thanks go to my brother Corey, who has been there for me from the beginning of time and showed me the right path to take 'love you bro.' Thanks to my sister Tamar for sticking beside me thru thick and thin, especially when I needed you the most. 'love you big sis.' Last, but not least, I would like to thank all the teachers who have helped me throughout the development of my education and have taken the time to do so. **Through my eyes**, I've noticed that experience is a good teacher and everyone has the ability to learn. Shout out to the friends I've gained and lost along the way. Remember to strive toward your goals no matter what. At times things may get hard but hang in there. Mad love and much success to the entire class of 1999 Good Luck! Peace and Love.

Rabiah Torain

Through my eyes ...I see an image of a world that has challenged me & has given me the force to thrive and flourish in life. First praising **God** for his many blessings. **Mommy** thanks for not giving up on me. **Grandma** thanks for your guidance & **Daddy** thanks for making me feel unique. I luv u all. To my entire family: you are truly loved. **Yaz,** you are definitely precious. Thanks for keeping me strong. To my sisters: "Z", Mone, Dijah, Nell, Joy, Tasha, Steph.E and Nicky, luv ya girls! To the **G.Q** (Steph), stay true. to **Perfect Harmony** (M.E.K), tonight!! T.C.B you are the best! To "D-PI", keep it real. To "divas", uphold yor name. Ni-Ni & "T", remember the times? To my "heart", you know how I feel. I luv u. To the shorties of '99: I love you all. To my **teachers**: Mrs.Gironda, Mrs. Hewett, Mrs. Ransome, Mr. Brown & Ms. Melvin: thanx for opening my mind. To MG. Co., thanks for believing in me. Best of luck to the **c/o 99**. I'll miss you Uni. Remember my past 6 years here. I am free!

I have yet to conquer all I can endure and have yet escaped the dusk of my future, but as I look back, I am definately...***in no ones shadow***.



Glendiz Torres



My days at University have brought a lot of good memories that I will cherish forever. I want to thank my mother for all the love and support she has given me. She has been the one who always took the time to make sure I never gave up at anything that I've attempted. I love you, Mom.

I also want to thank my good friends who have always been there as well: Qimma, Fatu, Nichole, Jamie and Tracy. To the ones I have not named, you know that I will never forget you.

Remember: We stand ***in no one's shadow!***

Al Van Dyke



First and foremost,I have to thank the Creator for everything. Without him there is nothing. Second, I want to thank my parents for giving me the guidance to come this far. Much luv to all my fam, far and near. To all my peeps in Big Uni, luv ya'll. Special shouts to Jenn.M, Z-man, Michelle, Abby, Kamilah, Nicole, Nikiya. My bus stop crew Yaz, VIP, Karry, Angie, (thanx for waitin'), The Family, Xinos, StephE+F, Adrienne, Fatima, Naimah, Jenn.S. To all my dogs Ty, O, Kas, Jess, Ja, James, Tommy (can't believe u roll down that hill). Also thanx Ms Blackmon for believing in me, luv ya for that. Thanx Mr. Hatcher for letting me hit the locker. Big shout to Iota Phi Beta Frat, dogs for life. Kareem, Aaron, Jonathan, Raheem, thanx for being the best friends I know. For all those who doubted u know what u can do.. To all those I didn't mention, nothing personal, even *goodfellas* forget. To all who came before me I learned from ya, but I walk **In No Ones Shadow**, that's why nobody does it betta. C/o 99 Ya Heard.

Channel Way



First, I would like to give thanx to God Almighty , the leader of my soul. Next, I would like to send mad love To the 2 strongest women in my life-Mom and Grandma. To the man who messed with me the most-Daddy Louis. To my lil' bro Booby you always got away with more stuff than I did. I luv you all.

Second shout out to the Class of '99- we have been through a lot of growing up, but remember *through our eyes* we are definitely *in no one's shadow.* We're leaving Uni with a bang, forever will our names remain.

Third, luv to all my Xino sis especially Dija and Playa (My two psychiatrist who have given me a reality check. What would I do without u?) Zees, Mone, Toya, Nic, Rem, Quilah, Joy, b, Ta and Angie we made it together.

Fourth, divas we overcame all odds. Luv ya Extra and Karry (since the beginning of time lets keep it that way), Abby, Tima Bright Eyes, A, Kiya.

Fifth, final and most important shout out's to myself, I've overcome the odds, been an outsider looking in for all four years, but I came out on top.

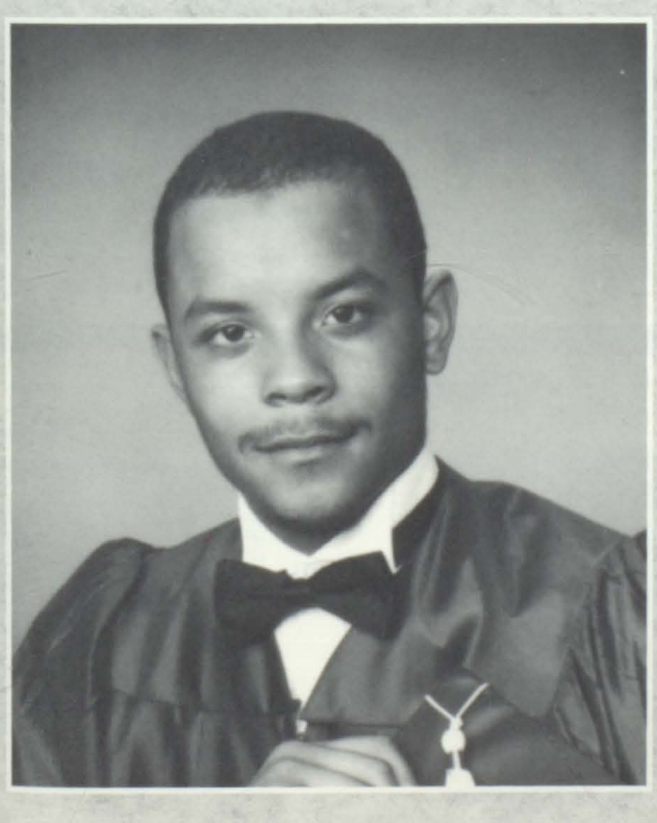
You go girl!

Yasmeen Weems



No one will ever experience Uni **through my eyes.** Uni was a place for me to learn & develop. During my 6 years here I have gone through some up's and down's. There were times when I thought it would all end , but then there were people who pushed me when I stopped pushing myself. First, I would like to thank the **Almighty Creator**. My family was always there for support, especially my Grandma and my Dad whom I love dearly. Much luv to the rest of the fam. Next, the people who will always have a place in my heart: Z, we sistas for life. B, I'm still precious. 'Nel , you are the playa. Tom, you always made me smile. Odie, much luv Big Bro. Steph for the rides. Jes' I could always lean on u. Kas, u in the door. Ken, u know the times. Jasonn, Karry, Mary, Steph, Ab, 'Shel, Mone, Joy & Al we're ready for the next millennium. Xinos, Hoo. T, Na, G, no more 7:20. Angie and my lil' sis Al, your turn will come. Thanx to the teachers, Ms. Hewett, Mrs.Jackson, Mr. Brown, & Mr.Hankerson, for all showing me the way and Mrs. Gironda, for "The Word." Uni will always be one long memory lived **IN NO ONE'S SHADOW!**

Jaime Zeno



First of all I would like to thank GOD and my family for helping me out. I also like to thank all of my teachers, Mr. Hayes, Mrs. Sanford, Mrs. Muhammad, and Mrs. Stephenson because without them none of my accomplishments would have been possible.

Through their eyes, I was a success being born. Special thanks to Mr. Hayes for always being on my case for not doing my work and to my "dogs" Tracy, Derrick, Raheem, Jenny, and Dapaque for helping me along the way.

Last, but not least, GOOD LUCK and GREAT SUCCESS to the graduating class of 1999.

Peace



Pride and Joy



CLASS OF 1999

Naimah Campbell

Dear Naimah (Ne-Ne),
You have been our pride and joy. We your family, are so proud of you. As you look at your kindergarden picture, you look so innocent and sweet. Now you've grown up to this beautiful young lady with many wonderful talents and abilities. I'am so proud of you. Continue with success and always remember to put God first and everything else will follow.

Congratulations
Love,
Mom, Pop, Keereah, Kinah, Quin



Oluwabunmi Fawole

Dear Oluwabunmi,
Believe in God always and be prayerful at all time. The road ahead may be filled with many obstacles, but remain strong, open-minded, focused and honest. Never stop educating your mind because education is power. Strive for success in all your endeavors. Set realistic goals. Reach for the stars but capture the moon. We love you and wish you the best in life.
Your loving Fawole Family
Olumuyiwa, Eyitayo Mom and Daddy



Jasonn La'shaun Denard

You have really grown up to be a fine young man. I am so proud of you. I am blessed to have you for a son. Remember to always be a leader and do what you feel is right and you will succeed. Congratulations and good luck in the future.
I will always love you.

Love,
Mommie



Stephanie and Jessica Foard

For our girls,
Today is your day!
Your mountain is waiting..
So . . . get on your way!
With more love than you can imagine,

Mom and Dad



Stephanie Edwards

To My Baby:
Who has matured into a very nice young lady, we wish you all the luck for the future.

Love,
Mommy & Ricky



Pattryce Gardner

To Our Niece,

May you continue to do well in school. Your mom would have been proud of you.

We love you,
Auntie Anita
and
Uncle Lowell Hicks



James Gilbert

Dear James,

Each day reveals how special you are, I could not have asked for a better son. You have been faced with challenges, and have always emerged triumphant.

Love,
Dad



Simone R. Johnson

Simone,
I am so very proud of you. Continued success through college and life.

Love,
Mom



Erica Griffin

To my daughter, Erica.
I have watched you grow into a mature young lady over these past four years. I am so proud of you and I wish you the best of luck in the future.

Congratulations,
Love always,
Mom



Simone R. Johnson

Congratulations Simone,

We are very proud of you. May God bless you as you seek a higher education.

Love Grandma and Grandad



Khadijah Hurt

As I look at this picture, I remember my sweet, innocent daughter. Clearly, you have grown into a young lady who is aspiring to reach new heights. you are equipped with the potential to reach bigger and better things.
May God continue to bless you and help you obtain your goals. For you are a special daughter who has blossomed into a delicate rose.

Love
Mommy



Makia Long

Makia Long

To my #1 and baby girl, you have opened up doors for youself and the path that you have chosen to take
towards success has been excellence.
I pray you keep up the good work.

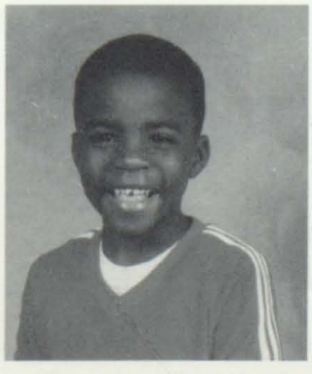
Love,
Mommy



Glen Hilliard

Glenn:
From little boy to young man
I am proud of all you have accomplished!
Good Luck

Love,
Mom



Nikiya Renee Mathis

To Our Precious Daughter/Actress,
You have grown to become a beatiful young lady. Continue to reach for the stars. Remember "With GOD All Things Are Possible."
We are so very proud of you and what you are becoming. May all of your dreams become reality!

Love Always,
Dad and Mom



Adrienne McCleod

Adrienne,
We are so proud of you!
Always set goals, be confident, and do your best. We wish you the very best in all your endeavors.

Love,
Mom, Dad, Brother and Grandma



Glendaliz Torres

Glenda yo estoy muy contenta contigo y muy argullosa de tener una jija comotu. Sigue siempre hacia adelante. Siempre te voy apoyar en todo.

Te guiere,
Tu Mami



Nicole Neal

Keep smiling
Keep shining
keep dreaming
May God continue to bless you and may the light of his love continue to
shine upon you. We are proud of you
and we love you.

Mommy, Daddy Ran, &
the Rest of the Clan



Al Jumar Van Dyke

Al-Jumar Van Dyke

Congratulations and best of luck.

We are proud of you.

Mom and Dad



Ken Simons

There's so much that I'd like to promise you in life. I'd like to give you wisdom, but that's something only passing years can bring . . .
I'd like to promise you success, but that's something you alone have to find . .
I'd like to promise you happiness, but the path that leads you there is one that only you can discover . .
But there is always my love. It was with you from the start and it always will be. My love is something you can always be sure of.
I can promise you that. Good Luck.

Love always, your mother,
Christine Simons
And your sister, Nicole Simons.



Channel Way

Dearest daughter,
While going through our photographs to get one of you, we become overwhelmed with emotion. To see how far you've come and all that you have accomplished leaves us in awe! We thank the Lord for the past 18 years an pray for 18 zillion more, because you are a special blessing to us.
A daughter holds her own special place in the family that no one can fulfill but you! Congratulations Channel on your graduation. "We Love you like breathing."

Love,
Mom, Dad and your brother Louis



Rabiah Torain

To My Daughter,
You are my joy. I celebrate your accomplishments in life, your strength and determination. I salute you. You're my inspiration. May life take you through many journies and along the way touch lives as you have touched mine.

Congratulations my daughter,
Mommy



Channel Way

Channel (Puddin) Way,
Looking back to the day when I visited you in the nursery for the first time, I took one look at you and said that is my Puddin. Eighteen years later you are still my puddin. Good luck and may God bless you.
Congratulations

Proud GrandMa Sarah



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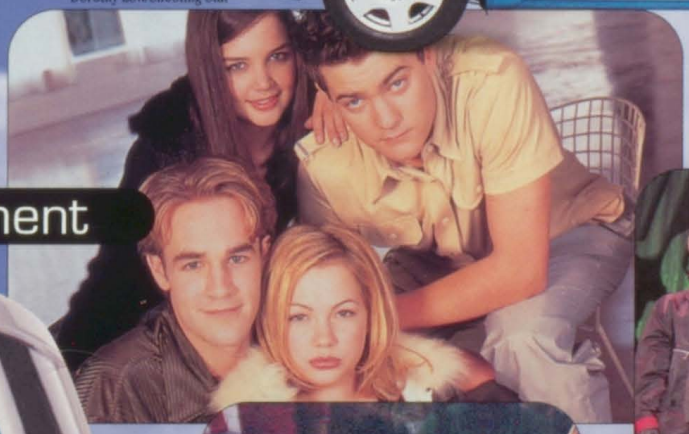
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A total collapse of the Russian ruble sends world markets into chaos. Boris Yeltsin asks Viktor Chernomyrdin to head the government to help restore political and economic stability.



AP Photo/Franck Prevel

French high school students demand more teachers, better equipment and buildings and a lighter course load in an October protest in Paris. The French government designates $40 million annually over the next four years, as well as 1,000 new teaching posts.



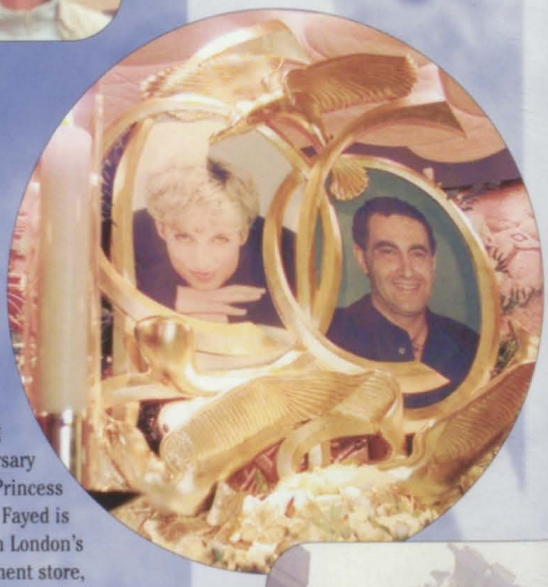
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A discotheque fire in Goteborg, Sweden, kills 67 teens and injures several more, making it the deadliest fire in modern Swedish history. Arson is the suspected cause of the October fire.



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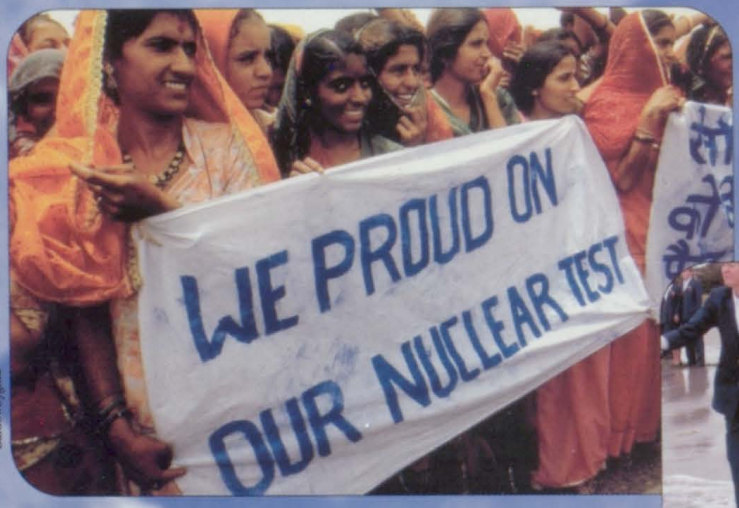
After a U.N. drug summit in which 150 countries endorse an anti-drug campaign, the U.S. vows to spend an estimated $1 billion over the next five years on anti-drug advertising, corporate and civic partnerships and promotion.



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A memorial commemorating the first anniversary of the death of Princess Diana and Dodi Fayed is put on display in London's Harrods department store, which is owned by Dodi's father.

In a dangerous escalation of hostile feelings in the area, India begins nuclear bomb testing in response to Pakistan's testing of the Ghauri missile.



Baldev/Sygma



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In retaliation for the African embassy bombings, the U.S. attacks a suspected chemical weapons factory in the capital of Sudan and a terrorist training camp in Afghanistan, and launches a worldwide search for suspected mastermind Osama bin Laden.

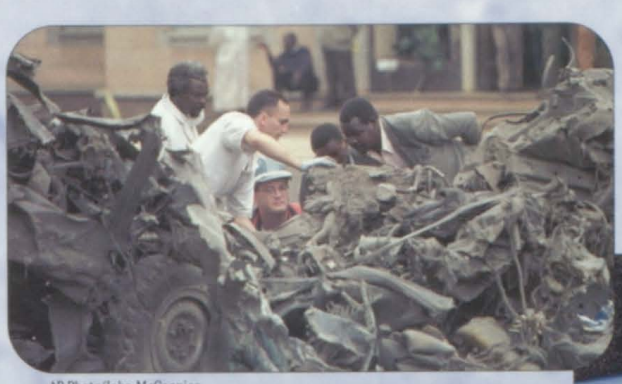


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On September 2, Swissair Flight 111 crashes in the sea in Peggy's Cove, Nova Scotia, Canada, killing all 229 passengers and crew aboard. A cockpit wiring fire is the suspected cause of the disaster.

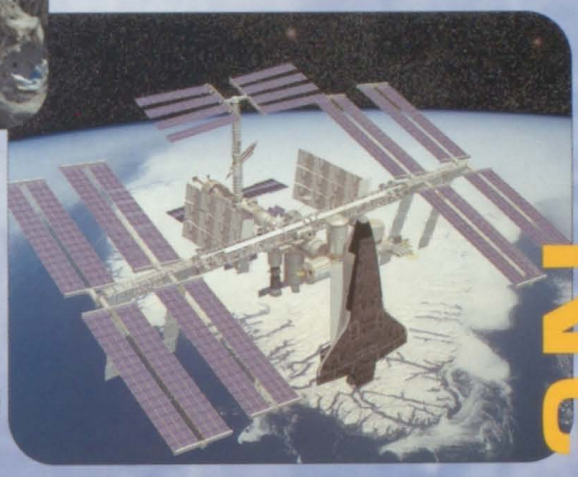
World News

On August 7, powerful bombs explode outside the U.S. embassies in Kenya and Tanzania killing 248 people, including 12 Americans, and injuring more than 5,000.



AP Photo/John McConnico

NASA and Russia will conduct 45 missions to launch and assemble the International Space Station *Alpha*. Set for completion by 2004, the station will be powered by almost an acre of solar panels and will weigh almost one million pounds.



NASA



AP Photo/Pool

The remains of Czar Nicholas II and his family, killed in 1918 in Central Russia and buried in a mass grave, are exhumed and laid to rest in St. Petersburg.



Gary Hershorn/Reuters

President Clinton becomes the first U.S. leader to visit China since the Tiananmen Square massacre in 1989. Many criticize Clinton for his apparent leniency toward China's human rights restrictions.



AP Photo/Xinhua, Zhang Yonghong

The worst summer flooding in China since 1954 kills 3,000 people, destroys 17 million homes and affects one-fifth of the country's population.



AP Photo/Luis Romero

Hurricane Mitch ravages parts of Central America and kills more than 10,000 people, making it the second deadliest storm in the region's history.

After months of negotiations, Swiss banks and Jewish groups reach a $1.25 billion settlement in a lawsuit filed by thousands of Holocaust survivors to recover lost savings.



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On January 1, 1999, the euro debuts as the new currency in 11 European Common Market countries. It will be three more years before euro coins and cash are officially put into circulation.

Flash

John Hume and David Trimble, Northern Ireland's two main political party leaders, win the Nobel Peace Prize for their efforts to end the violence that has plagued the British province for three decades.

After a stop in Mexico City in January 1999, Pope John Paul II arrives in St. Louis, Missouri, and celebrates Mass with over 100,000 people in attendance.

In January 1999, an earthquake that measures 6.0 on the Richter scale hits Colombia killing over 1,000 people.

King Hussein of Jordan, 63, dies on February 7, 1999, of lymphatic cancer. Hussein's 47-year reign made him the Middle East's longest-serving leader.

National News



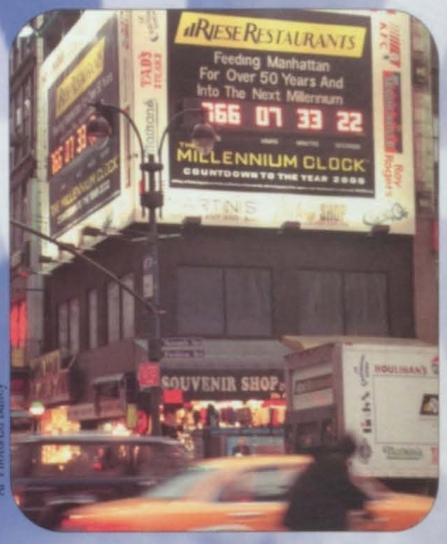
AP Photo/TDCJ Handout

Convicted killer Martin Gurule escapes death row and is later found drowned in a nearby river. Gurule is the first Texas inmate to escape death row since 1934.



AP Photo/CNN

President Clinton becomes the second president in history to be impeached. The House of Representatives charges him with two counts of obstruction of justice and perjury. The Senate acquits Clinton after a five-week trial.



AP Photo/Ed Bailey

A massive Millennium Clock in New York City's garment district counts down the days, hours, minutes and seconds to the year 2000.



AP Photo/File, Dan Loh

The U.S. Treasury unveils a new $20 bill designed to be much harder to counterfeit and more capable of withstanding heavy abuse.



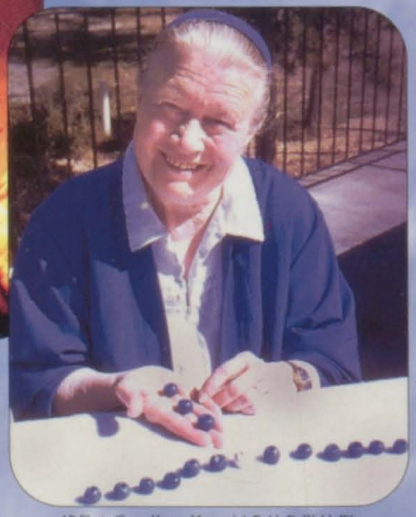
AP Photo/Charles Bennett

After 50 years of work, the face of Crazy Horse is revealed at the South Dakota monument. When completed, the memorial, carved out of a mountain, will be the largest sculpture in the world.

President Clinton declares the entire state of Florida a disaster area after fires burn over 300,000 acres and damage or destroy 150,000 homes.



AP Photo/Victor R. Caivano



AP Photo/Crazy Horse Memorial, Robb DeWald, File

Sixteen of the 24 glass beads that historians believe were used to buy Manhattan Island from Native Indians in 1626 are donated to the Indian Museum of North America located at the Crazy Horse Memorial.



AP Photo/Brett Coomer

In June, African-American James Byrd Jr., 49, is chained to the back of a truck and dragged to his death in Jasper, Texas, by three men, two of whom have ties to white supremacists.

National News

Mentally unstable Russell Eugene Weston Jr. charges into the U.S. Capitol building on July 24 and fatally shoots Special Agent John Gibson and Officer Jacob Chestnut.



AP Photo/Gary Cameron, Pool

A Titanic exhibit tours the U.S. featuring over 200 artifacts and displays chronicling the fateful ship's maiden voyage and tragic sinking.

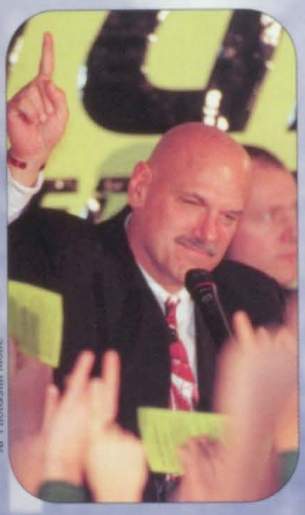


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Northwest Airlines pilots strike for 17 days in August and September causing more than 27,000 canceled flights and a loss of $338 million.



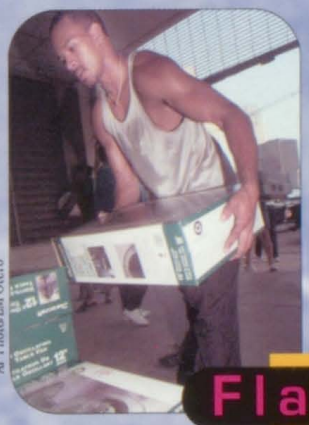
AP Photo/Jim Mone

Reform Party candidate Jesse Ventura shocks the nation when he wins the race for governor of Minnesota in November. Ventura is a former Navy Seal, pro wrestler and action movie actor.



AP Photo/Ruth Fremson

In response to family pressure, DNA testing confirms that remains buried in the Tomb of the Unknowns are those of Michael J. Blassie, an Air Force pilot shot down in Vietnam.



AP Photo/LM Otero

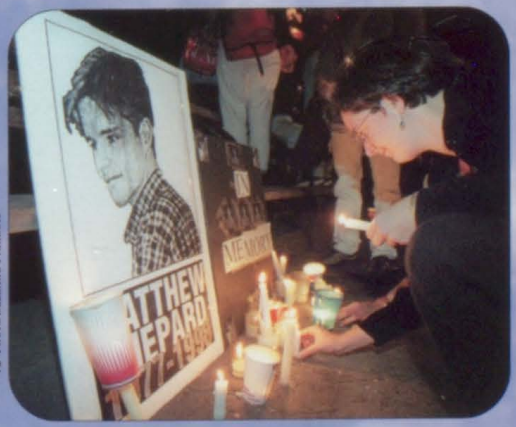
In summer 1998, North Texas temperatures exceed 100 degrees for 45 days. The state's heat death toll climbs to 132 and fires burn over 344,000 acres.

In September, Hurricane Georges crashes through the Florida Keys and Mississippi. The killer storm causes the largest mandatory evacuation in Florida history, and Mississippi victims receive over $131 million in aid.



AP Photo/Dave Martin

Matthew Shepard, a 21-year-old gay student at the University of Wyoming, dies five days after being brutally attacked in an apparent hate crime. Vigils in his memory are held across the country.



AP Photo/Suzanne Plunkett

Flash

In August, General Motors Corporation and United Auto Workers reach an agreement that ends an eight-week strike.

President Clinton announces the federal government ends the 1998 fiscal year with a budget surplus of $70 billion, the first surplus since 1969.

More than 280 colleges now admit some or all of their applicants without regard to SAT or ACT scores. Many schools say the system improves the academic quality and diversity of their student bodies.

DNA tests determine that Rebecca Chittum was unknowingly switched with Callie Conley at a Virginia hospital after their births three years ago. This case prompts a national debate on the need for stricter hospital procedures.

Science News



NASA

NASA's Lunar Prospector finds scattered pockets of ice beneath the lunar surface. The presence of water could enable astronauts to use the moon as a kind of space-based filling station.



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An analysis of Eastern Seaboard weather shows it really does rain more frequently on weekends than during the week, an average of 22 percent more. Automobile emission patterns are the suspected cause of the phenomenon.



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Columbia University graduate student Elizabeth Brannon and psychology professor Herbert Terrace demonstrate that monkeys can master simple arithmetic on at least the level of a two-year-old child.



AP Photo/HO

Apple's translucent aqua-blue iMac personal computer, its first consumer offering in years, is marketed mainly for Internet usage and, therefore, doesn't come with a disk drive. Its popularity soars and it soon becomes available in several other colors.



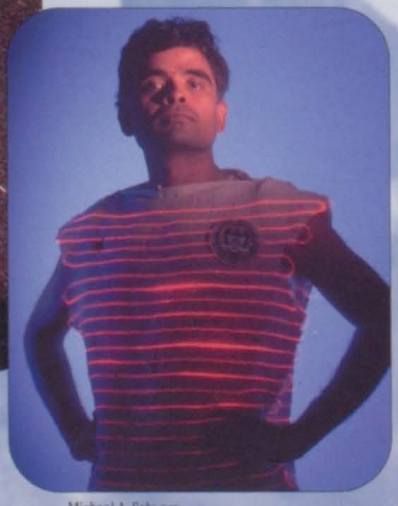
AP Photo/David J. Phillip

John Glenn, 77, becomes the oldest astronaut when he undertakes a space shuttle mission in October, 36 years after his first space flight. Later, Glenn retires from a 24-year career in the U.S. Senate.

The comet Tempel-Tuttle causes a meteor storm when it passes by Earth. The comet will be visible again in fall 1999, after which it won't reappear for another 32 years.

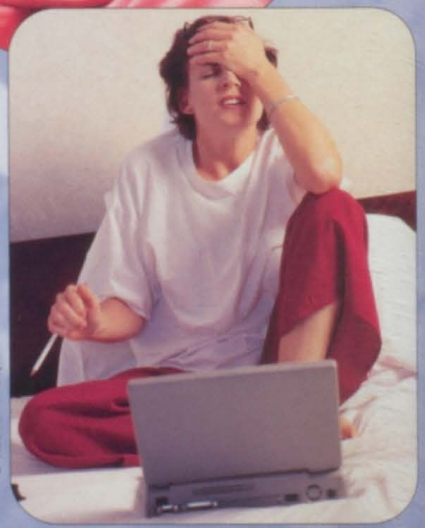


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Michael A. Schwarz

A computerized T-shirt, woven with fiber optics and electrically conducted thread, may soon monitor the health of soldiers, rescuers, the elderly and others who are medically vulnerable.



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A study demonstrates that the more hours people spend on the Internet, the more depressed, stressed and lonely they feel.

Science News

The USDA announces that a 25-millisecond blast of 270-degree steam applied to meat kills 99.99 percent of the bacteria. This process follows the unpopular method of irradiation.



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Paleontologists in Argentina discover thousands of shards of fossilized dinosaur eggs. Several shards contain the fossilized remains of unhatched embryos and their never-before-seen embryo skin.



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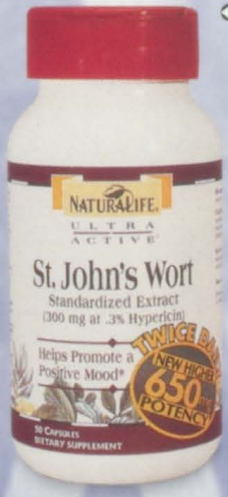


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Photo courtesy of the authors (C. Yoder, O. Retterer, M. Thomsen and K. Hess)

Chemistry professor Claude Yoder co-authors "Interactive Chemistry," a CD-ROM that uses animation to lead students through chemistry problems, eliminating the need for a textbook.



Duffin McGee/Reuters

The FDA withholds medical approval of St. John's Wort, the popular herbal supplement widely believed to relieve depression. However, American consumer demand has led to its use in everything from lipstick to potato chips.



Purdue University

Researchers discover a gene that may cause the aggressive behavior of "killer bees." This knowledge may help tame African bees, whose sting has deterred beekeepers from tending hives.



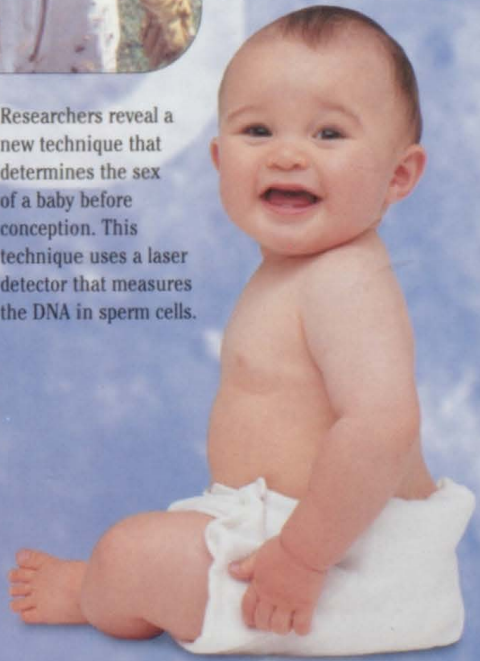
AP Photo/NASA

Alan Shepard, the first American in space, dies on July 22 at the age of 74.



On August 12, the $1 billion Titan 4 rocket explodes 42 seconds after liftoff. The rocket payload included a highly classified Defense Department satellite.

Researchers reveal a new technique that determines the sex of a baby before conception. This technique uses a laser detector that measures the DNA in sperm cells.



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Flash

Astronomers discover and photograph a planet outside our solar system that is about 450 light years away from Earth.

Alabama hairdresser Philip McCory discovers that human hair soaks up oil from water, which prompts NASA to investigate ways to use human hair to clean oil spills.

In August, renowned Houston heart surgeon Dr. Denton Cooley performs open-heart surgery which is broadcast live on the America's Health Network Internet web site.

David Scott, who lost his left hand in a fireworks accident, receives the first U.S. human hand transplant in January 1999. Scott has regained limited motion in his donor hand.

Lifestyle News



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A *USA Today* investigation reveals that many of the nation's safe drinking water regulations are not being enforced. The report reveals that even the worst violations have just a 1 in 10 chance of drawing legal action.



AP Photo/Koji Sasahara

Lovegety, a palm-sized matchmaking device, is the latest craze with Japanese teenagers. When it comes within 15 feet of another Lovegety, high-pitched beepers go off, lights flash, and the "love detectors" display whether the users' preset interests match. It's now available in the U.S.



PlayStation's® "Crash Bandicoot: WARPED" supersedes its popular predecessors. Also new is Crash's sister Coco who gallops along the Great Wall of China and cruises through enemy-infested waters.



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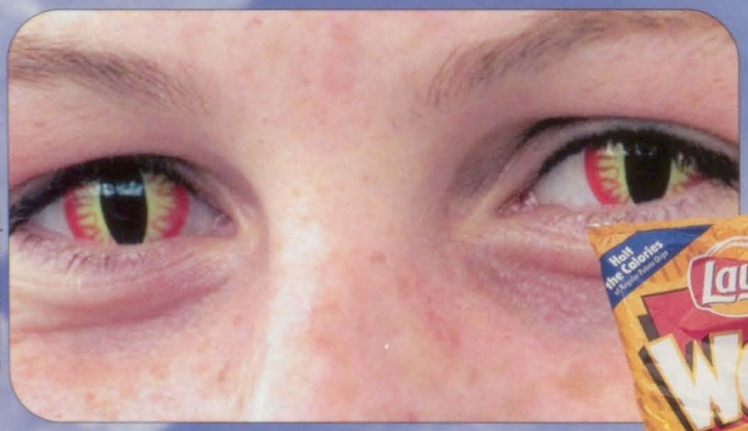
Furby, the year's must-have interactive toy, has a vocabulary of 200 words in both English and its own language, "Furbish." Furby knows when it is being petted, when the lights go out, when music starts, and if there's another Furby in the room.



Kurt Duncan

Appearing in malls in 33 states, job kiosks dispense employment opportunities for interested applicants. Job seekers enter their skills and ambitions and the machine scans its database for a match.

WildEyes contact lenses feature several designs, including a starburst, black eight ball and cat's eyes. The $165 lenses come in prescription and non-prescription and don't interfere with eyesight.



AP Photo/Charles Dharapak





Library of Congress/Corbis

Consumer groups demand the recall of Olestra from the market, or at least the adoption of strict guidelines as to its use, after thousands of people become sick from eating the popular fat substitute. However, studies suggest that chips made with Olestra do not cause greater stomach problems than regular chips.

In December, Selective Service activates online registration. Eighteen-year-olds can now register instantly instead of filling out forms at the post office that take two to three months to process.

Lifestyle News

As the need for toll-free numbers greatly increases, the 887 prefix joins the 800 and 888 prefixes already in use.

Paul A. Souders/© Corbis



A sleek, redesigned version of the '60s Volkswagen Beetle enters the market. Despite a May 1998 recall for wiring problems, the New Beetle is wildly popular.



AP Photo/IIHS

Butterflies and dragonflies are the hot motif in the fashion world appearing on everything from clothes and bags to hair accessories and jewelry.



For $20-30 a day, trained professionals at dog and cat day cares will play with, read to, feed and pamper pets in their care.



AP Photo/Susan Ragan

Cargo pants invade stores and become the must-have piece of apparel for teens across the nation.



Mr. Payroll is the first ATM that can cash a check – even for someone without a bank account. The machine "memorizes" facial features and matches them with a social security number to verify the user's identity.



Photo courtesy of Mr. Payroll Corporation

Pilates, a low-impact form of exercise that uses unique equipment and deep stretching techniques, becomes popular with men and women.



Courtesy Balanced Body



Rollerblade introduces durable, all-terrain in-line skates that can traverse dirt paths and rocky trails. The large-wheeled skates retail for a cool $600.

Flash

In hopes of reducing the divorce rate, the Florida legislature passes the nation's first law requiring that high school students be taught marital and relationship skills.

In the wake of grim automobile accident statistics, California is one of several states to pass stricter teenage licensing laws.

Spurred by fierce competition, colleges and universities are going online to offer students a new way to get an education. Florida State and New York University are a few jumping on board.

The average home Internet user spends 25 hours a year waiting for web pages to load.

Entertainment News



AP Photo/NBC, Jeff Katz

Heartthrob George Clooney announces 1998-99 will be his last season on NBC's award-winning television drama, "ER."



AP Photo/Reed Saxon

NBC's "Frasier" makes history by winning its fifth consecutive outstanding comedy series award at the 50th annual Emmy Awards. Kelsey Grammer, in the title role, wins his third Emmy as best comedy actor.



Fotos International/Archive Photos

In November, ABC's "Spin City" star Michael J. Fox, 37, reveals he has Parkinson's disease. Fox underwent brain surgery in March 1998 in an attempt to relieve severe tremors.



Radica Games

Trail Burner, a hand-held mountain bike racing game, uses motion sensors to turn corners and jump hills and water pits. Crashes make the handlebars vibrate.



AP Photo/Touchstone Pictures, HO

Adam Sandler stars in the surprise hit *The Waterboy*, which earns a record $39.1 million in its November opening weekend.

Tom Hanks stars in Steven Spielberg's *Saving Private Ryan*, an authentic recreation of World War II's D-Day. The film receives 11 Oscar nominations.

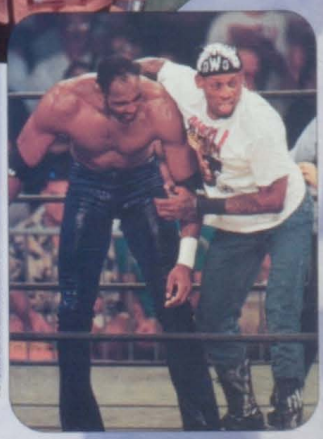


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Britain's best Scrabble players commemorate the popular board game's 50th anniversary in October by playing in London's Wembley Stadium using letter tiles the size of dining tables.



AP Photo/Joan C. Fahrenhold

Karl Malone and Dennis Rodman face off in a World Championship Wrestling tag-team match. The event pits Rodman and Hollywood Hulk Hogan against Malone and Diamond Dallas Page.

Entertainment News

Walt Disney's *A Bug's Life* is one of at least 15 animated feature films that will flood the nation's theaters in the next two years.



AP Photo/Walt Disney, HO

In May 1998, the much-anticipated movie *Godzilla* opens to disappointing reviews and box office numbers. The epic leaves theaters quickly.



AP Photo/Courtesy Viewpoint Datalabs



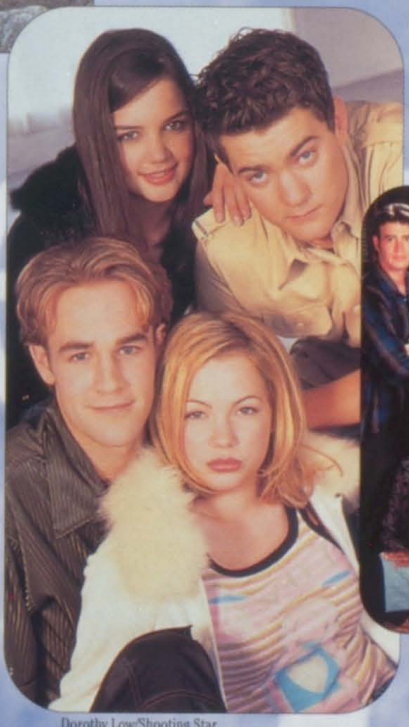
Warner Bros./Shooting Star

In June, Keiko arrives in his native Iceland to begin his assimilation to his new surroundings. The move concludes a four-year campaign to release the five-ton star of the movie *Free Willy*.

Players of Vertical Reality, a combination video game and amusement ride, shoot at moving targets on a 24-foot-tall screen and sit in chairs that rise with each successful hit. The winner rides to the top for a grand view.

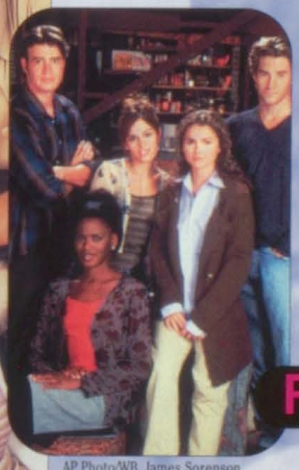


GameWorks



Dorothy Low/Shooting Star

The wildly popular stars of The WB network's "Dawson's Creek" hit the big screen, filming eight feature films during hiatus. Magazine covers by *TV Guide*, *Seventeen* and *Interview* fuel the craze.



AP Photo/WB, James Sorenson

The coming-of-age drama "Felicity" quickly gains popularity with teens. The WB show revolves around a young woman and her new experiences at college.

Flash

Megastars Bruce Willis and Demi Moore announce their separation in June after almost 11 years of marriage.

The American Film Institute rates the top 100 movies of the 20th century. The top ten include: *Citizen Kane*, 1941
Casablanca, 1942
The Godfather, 1972
Gone With the Wind, 1939
Lawrence of Arabia, 1962
The Wizard of Oz, 1939
The Graduate, 1967
On the Waterfront, 1954
Schindler's List, 1993
Singin' in the Rain, 1952

Fans flock to theaters to see the two-minute trailer for *Star Wars: Episode I - The Phantom Menace* and many leave without staying to watch the main attraction. The prequel to the wildly popular Star Wars trilogy opens in May 1999.

¡Yo Quiero Taco Bell!

Taco Bell's talking Chihuahua becomes a favorite teen advertising icon and sparks a surge of interest in the breed.



AP Photo/Taco Bell, HO

Actor Rick Schroder replaces Jimmy Smits on ABC's "NYPD Blue." The fate of Smits' character in his last episode – he dies when a heart transplant fails — became a source of nationwide speculation.



Corbis/Mitchell Gerber

Music News



OROP/Shooting Star

Singer and actor Frank Sinatra dies at the age of 82 on May 14, 1998.



AP Photo/Rick Hamner



Sharp and Sony introduce portable MiniDisc recorders. This digital alternative to audiocassettes records customized music compilations and doesn't skip when bumped.

Thanks in part to their 42-city tour, The Backstreet Boys' self-titled album sells nine million copies making it the third best-selling album of the year.



Alanis Morissette's new album, *Supposed Former Infatuation Junkie*, is released in November and vaults to No. 1. The album sells 469,000 copies in the first week.



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In January 1999, the group 'N Sync wins Favorite New Pop/Rock Artist at the American Music Awards.

The Dixie Chicks' *Wide Open Spaces* is the fastest-selling debut album by a country music group. The group wins the Vocal Group of the Year award from the Country Music Association.



AP Photo/Michael S. Green



AP Photo/Joey Terrill



A.P.R.F. - Monillon/Shooting Star

Nineteen-year-old Usher is named *Billboard* Music Awards' Artist of the Year and R&B Artist of the Year. Touring with Janet Jackson and making television and movie appearances has heightened Usher's popularity.

Spice Girl Geri Halliwell, better known as Ginger Spice, announces in May 1998 that she is leaving the popular group for creative reasons.

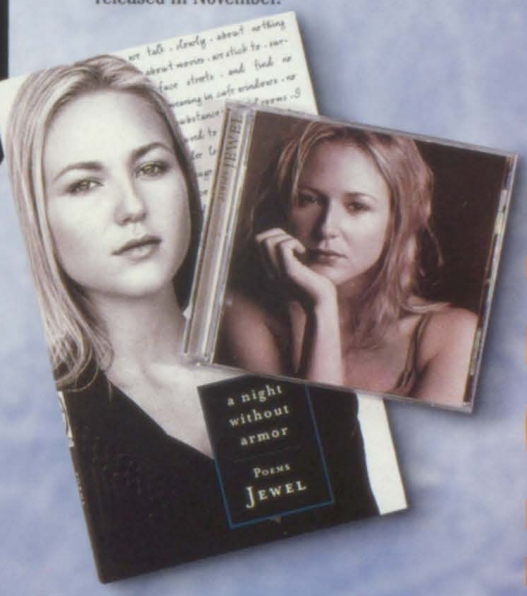
MusicNews

Swing dancing makes a big comeback with the help of music from bands like Cherry Poppin' Daddies (shown) and the Brian Setzer Orchestra.



AP Photo/File

Jewel scores on two fronts. Her book of poetry, *A Night Without Armor,* makes the New York Times best-seller list, and her album, *Spirit*, is released in November.





AP Photo/Michael Okoniewski

Shania Twain wins the Favorite Female Country Artist award at the American Music Awards and receives six Grammy nominations.



Reuters/Steve Marcus/Archive Photos

The popularity of Lauryn Hill's album *The Miseducation of Lauryn Hill* leads to 10 Grammy nominations, the most for any female artist in history. Hill kicks off a worldwide tour in January 1999.



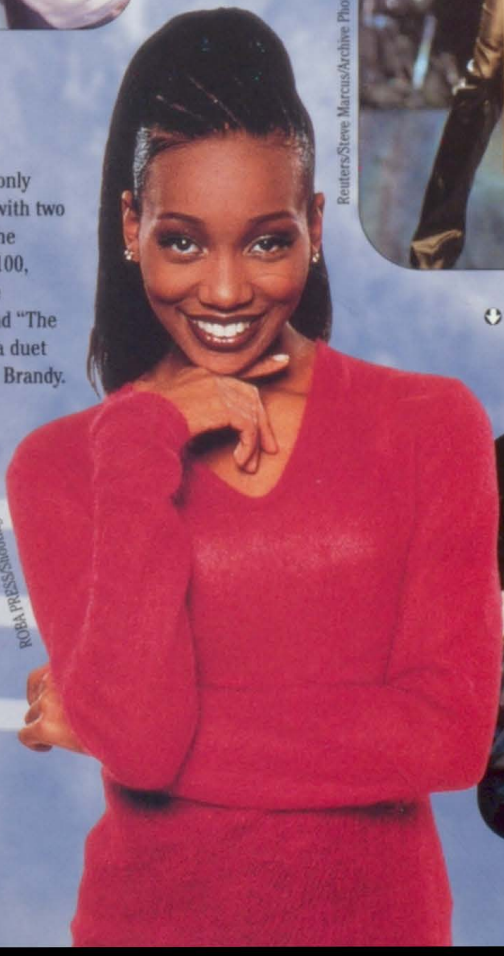
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Natalie Imbruglia wins Breakthrough Artist honors at the MTV Video Music Awards in September. Her album, *Left of the Middle*, features hits "Torn" and "Wishing I Was There."



AP Photo/The Hamilton Spectator, Scott Gardner

Aerosmith's "I Don't Want to Miss a Thing," from the movie *Armageddon*, becomes the group's first single to hit No. 1 on the *Billboard* Hot 100 charts.



ROBA PRESS/Shooting Star

Monica is the only artist in 1998 with two No. 1 hits on the *Billboard* Hot 100, including "The First Night" and "The Boy Is Mine," a duet she sings with Brandy.

In November, Garth Brooks' new album *Double Live* enjoys first-day sales of over 500,000 copies, the industry's best one-day tally. Brooks makes special TV and Wal-Mart closed-circuit TV appearances to promote the release.



AP Photo/GB Management, Jenny Yates

Flash

Psychologists discover a connection between musical training and verbal memory. Children trained to play a musical instrument grow up to have 16 percent better word memory than other adults.

Movie soundtracks account for nearly half of the Gold and Platinum certifications. Some of the top soundtracks include *Titanic* and *Return to Titanic, City of Angels, Armageddon, Hope Floats, Dr. Doolittle* and *The Wedding Singer.*

Whitney Houston's *My Love Is Your Love* is her first studio album in eight years. The album includes the hit duet with Mariah Carey entitled "When You Believe."

Actor/rapper Will Smith wins three American Music Awards, including Favorite Pop/Rock Album, Favorite Soul/R&B Album and Favorite Soul/R&B Male Artist.

Sports News



Reuters/John Iacono/Archive Photos

Sang Lan, China's 17-year-old gymnastics champion, breaks two vertebrae during a vault at the Goodwill Games in July, leaving her paralyzed from the chest down.

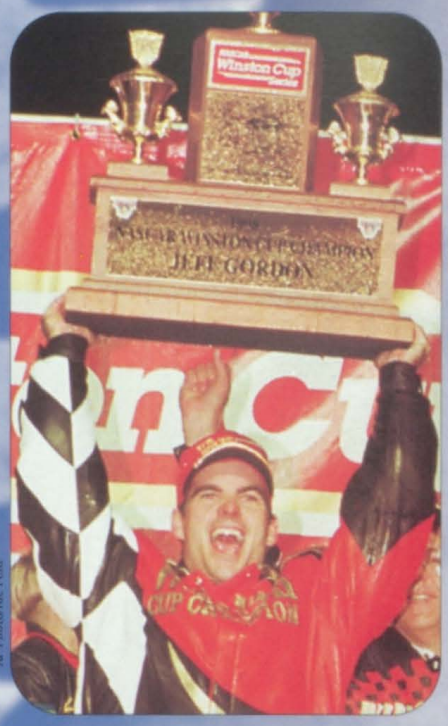


Mike Powell/Allsport

Skiboards, short skis with twin tips that allow forward and backward jumping, debut in competition at the 1998 ESPN Winter X Games.

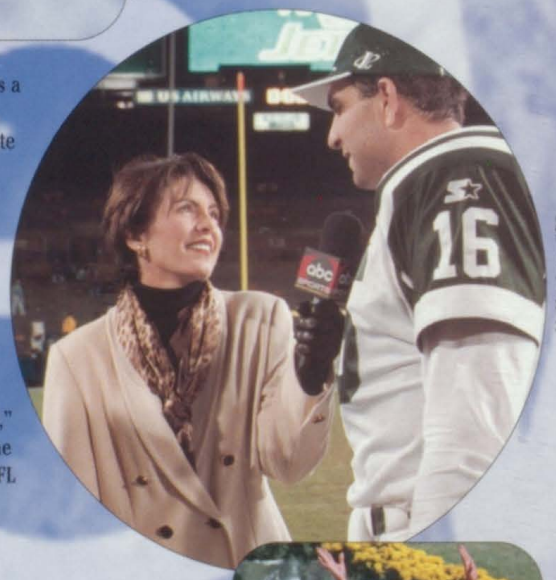


In March 1998, ESPN launches a large-format sports magazine, *ESPN The Magazine*, to compete with *Sports Illustrated*.



AP Photo/Ric Feld

Jeff Gordon wins the NASCAR Winston Cup for a second year in a row. Gordon, 27, is the youngest driver to win three Winston Cup championships.



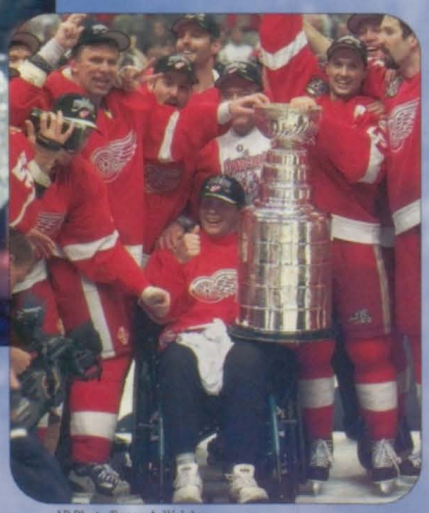
Ida Mae Astute/ABC

ABC's Lesley Visser becomes the first woman to report from the sidelines during "Monday Night Football," the 1998 Super Bowl, the NCAA Final Four and NFL playoff games.

On January 4, 1999, Tennessee beats Florida State University 23-16 at the Fiesta Bowl in Arizona to win the national championship. It is the first year of the Bowl Championship Series, created to ensure that the highest ranked college teams nationally meet in a bowl game.



AP Photo/Dave Martin



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Defending champion Detroit Red Wings win the 1998 Stanley Cup championship, beating the Washington Capitals 4-1. Defenseman Vladimir Konstantinov, severely injured in a car accident after last year's Stanley Cup win, joins the celebration.

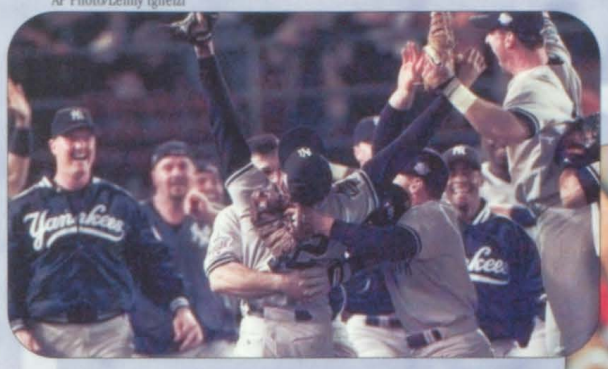


AP Photo/Eric Risberg

Flamboyant sprinter Florence Griffith Joyner (FloJo), triple gold medalist at the 1988 Olympics, dies at age 38 in her sleep, of suffocation during an epileptic seizure.

Sports News

AP Photo/Lenny Ignelzi



In a 4-0 sweep against the San Diego Padres, the New York Yankees win the 1998 World Series to claim their 24th championship. The Yankees' 125 total victories is a modern baseball record.

In July, France beats Brazil 3-0 to win its first World Cup soccer title. During celebrations, a motorist drives through the crowd on the Champs-Elysées and injures 60 people.



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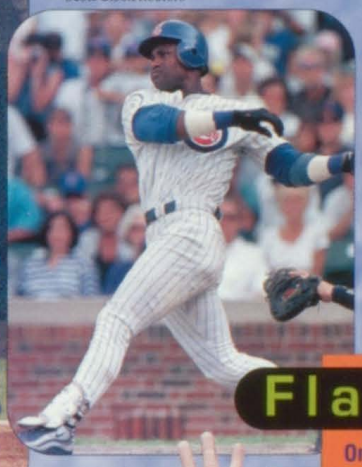
Lindsay Davenport, 22, defeats Martina Hingis in the U.S. Open in September and becomes the No. 1-ranked player in the world.

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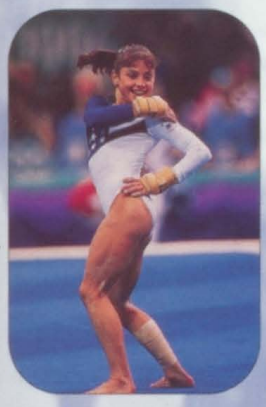
St. Louis Cardinal Mark McGwire hits home run number 62 on September 8, breaking the record set by Roger Maris in 1961. McGwire ends the season with 70 home runs.

Scott Olson/Reuters



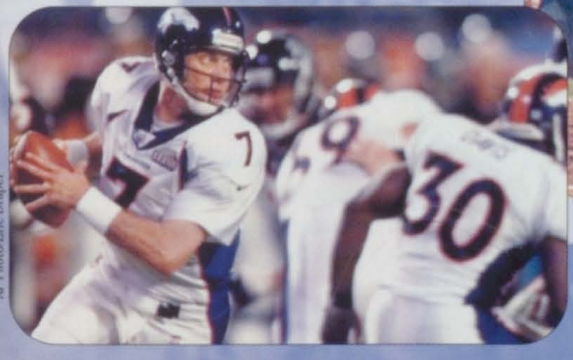
On September 13, Sammy Sosa of the Chicago Cubs also breaks Roger Maris' record with his single-season 62nd home run. Sosa ends the season with 66 home runs.

Mike Powell/Allsport

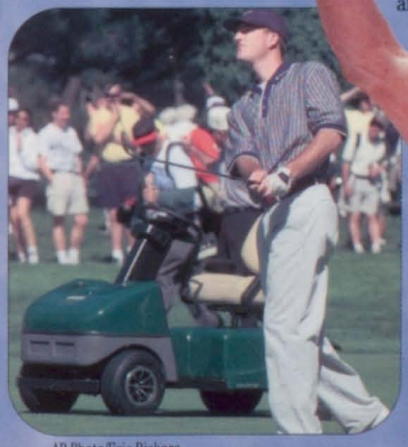


Olympic gymnast Dominique Moceanu is declared a legal adult after suing her parents, alleging they squandered her earnings and oppressed her for years. Later, Moceanu is granted a protective order against her father for stalking her.

AP Photo/Eric Draper



The defending champion Denver Broncos meet the upstart Atlanta Falcons at Super Bowl XXXIII in Miami. The Broncos win 34-19.

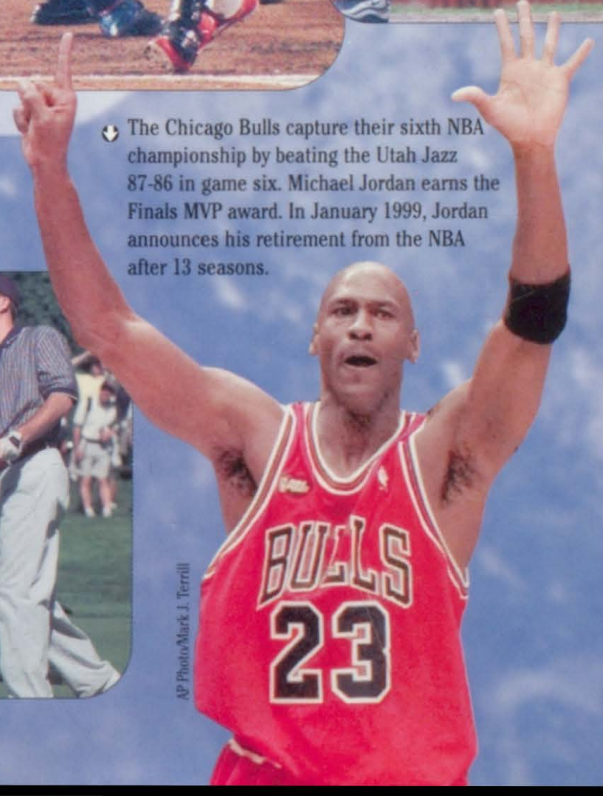


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Golfer Casey Martin, who suffers from a circulatory disorder in his right leg, wins a lawsuit allowing him to use a cart during PGA and Nike golf tournaments.

The Chicago Bulls capture their sixth NBA championship by beating the Utah Jazz 87-86 in game six. Michael Jordan earns the Finals MVP award. In January 1999, Jordan announces his retirement from the NBA after 13 seasons.

AP Photo/Mark J. Terrill



Flash

On September 20, Cal Ripken Jr. ends his 16-year streak of 2,632 consecutive baseball games played by withdrawing himself from the Baltimore lineup for that night.

NBA owners impose a lockout on July 1 that causes almost half the '98 -'99 basketball season to be lost. The labor dispute is settled on January 6.

Tennis star Pete Sampras wins his fifth Wimbledon title and remains the world's No. 1 player for a record sixth straight year, breaking Jimmy Connors' mark for consecutive seasons on top.

The NFL season is plagued with controversial and incorrect calls. Instant replay is not reinstated, but coin toss procedures are implemented

Faces News



AP Photo/Charles Rex Arbogast, File

Miss Virginia Nicole Johnson is crowned Miss America 1999 in Atlantic City. The 24-year-old diabetic wears an insulin pump on her hip and plans to spotlight diabetes awareness during her reign.



AP Photo

Fifty-six-year-old Linda McCartney, photographer, animal rights activist and wife of famed Beatle Paul, dies of breast cancer on April 17, 1998.



Karl Gehring/Denver Post

Seventeen-year-old Katie Hnida is named Chatfield Senior High School's Homecoming Queen as well as starting kicker for the varsity football team. The No. 1-ranked kicker in the state of Colorado, Hnida hopes to play Division I college football next year.



Emilie Sonmer/Cape Cod Times

After dropping out of the third grade in 1902 to care for her 11 younger siblings, retired nanny and housekeeper Eugenie Garside finally receives her high school diploma at age 98.



AP Photo/NBC Photo, Dave Bjerke

NBC's "News Radio" star and former "Saturday Night Live" cast member Phil Hartman dies from a gunshot wound inflicted by his wife in May 1998.

Flash

Canadian Tobin Belanger escorts a mannequin to his high school prom. He names her Jen, picks out her dress and corsage and arrives in a limousine.

Minnesotan David Weinlick "advertises" for a wife and chooses pharmacy student Elizabeth Runze from 23 hopefuls who travel to the Mall of America in Minneapolis for the event. Runze and Weinlick marry the same day.



AP Photo/Deb Halberstadt

Beloved puppeteer Shari Lewis dies of cancer on August 2. Her creations include her trademark Lamb Chop, Hush Puppy and Charlie Horse.

Hirofumi "The Tokyo Terror" Nakajima (right), reigning world hot dog eating champion, eats 19 hot dogs and buns in 12 minutes to win the annual Nathan's Famous Fourth of July Hot Dog Eating Contest.



AP Photo/Suzanne Plunkett

Olympic gold medalist figure skater Tara Lipinski takes part in an anti-tobacco rally with area school children on Capitol Hill in May 1998. The rally is sponsored by the Campaign for Tobacco-Free Kids.



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Starkeia,



You were so timid when you were small. I always knew you were going to accomplish something in your life, because you put more into whatever you did. As you see in your photos when you were young, you hardly ever smiled. I want you to know I'm so proud of you. Remember all your plans of becoming whatever it is you want to become you should aim high and become it.
So when you are looking at your music videos smile and think about your dreams of becoming a singer. Just remember your education comes first. I also want you to know if you fail at one career, than you must go on to other careers. I know you want to become a singer so stay in school until you achieve it. Starkeia, you have achieved so much since kindergarten, the honor roll you were on so many years. The Ready Foundation has helped you for pre-college. I want you to go to college for as long as it takes to succeed. Also remember your family is always here for you and most of all, your mother.
Always love your sisters Trisha, Shi-Shi and your brother T.C. If they need you, be there for them. I believe you can be whatever you want to be if you put your mind to it. I am glad that your sad face as a child turned into a pretty young lady who not only smiles now, but laughs too. I want you to continue going to church and singing in the choir. Always look to God for good and bad times, and remember to pray. May God bless you, Starkeia, and Keep you healthy and safe. I love you.
Your Mom, Alice

Starkia Hilton



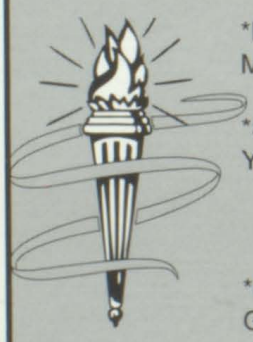
I want you to continue to write poems because one day you will be a writer. Here is a poem I wrote just for you:

I frowned when I was a baby
I smiled when I was a toddler
Now I'm a young lady
And laugh all the time.
And when I'm old,
I'll be happy knowing
I did all of the above

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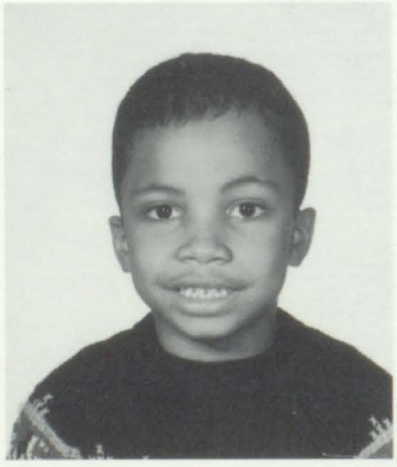
Good Luck Tommy!
We Love You!
Love The Frazier Family
Aunt Regina, Tony Jr. , and Sean



*Congratulations Miss Valedictorian,
Reach for the stars.
Mr. Henry Jordan
*Naimah,
May God Bless You.
Hazel Pat McKeithan
*Sister Ne-Ne,
You go girl.
Love ,
Sakeerah,Shakinah, and Joaquin

*Congratulations Naimah,
Good Luck in the future.
From Renee and the Black Family

class of 1999



To Shay,

You are the first grandson in the family and you will always have a special place in our hearts. As a little boy, growing up, we have watched you mature into a handsome 6 foot young man. And, now we are looking up to you. We are all proud of your accomplishments and wish you much success in the future. Continue to learn as much as you can so that you can become a better person and student.
Remember always to keep God in your life and trust the Lord.

All Our Love
Your Loving Family:

Grandma
Jackie
Valerie
Brucine
Denise
Sabrina
Rhonda
Willie
Charles
Khadi





To my daughter Ida,

You have always had your own mind from preschool, very stubborn but determined.

Your first time acting out in Bragaw Ave. School kindergarden, you stated to me: "Mommy this is baby work!!!" I knew then that education was for you.

I LoveYou more than I probably show you from time to time, but always know that I will be there for you throughout your lifetime. So, stay strong, keep wise, and always have God ahead of your Life……

May God be with you and your 3 year old daughter, Tyniqua……..

You will earn wisdom

Love

Mom & Grandmother





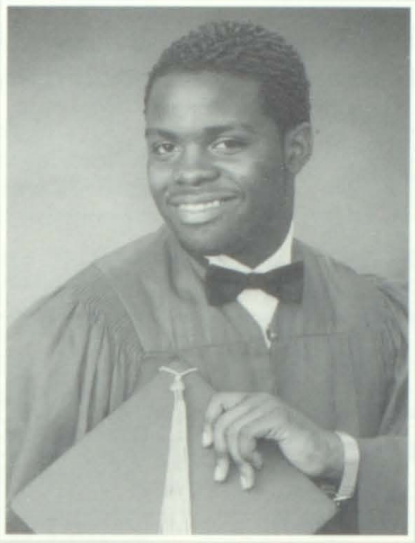
Congratulations Yasmeen

Pumpkin Seed,

We are so very proud of you. Knowing you for 18 years has been joy and happiness. When you walk into a room, it starts to glow. As far as your education, we are proud of your grades through elementary, junior, and high school. We really didn't want you to work because we thought it would interfere with your schooling, but you proved us wrong. Keep proving us wrong when we have negative thoughts. We are so very proud of you. Keep up the good work. Always remember that life is the way you make it. It can be good or bad. When you go to college, I'm really going to miss you. We love you very much.

Grandma Sara &
Grandpa Arnold

Our One and Only Baby Brother

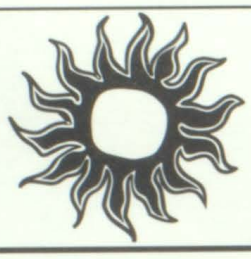


There is no other that can ever take your place
There is no other that can put a smile on our face
Like Tommy our baby brother
You have climbed many obstacles that may have stood in your way
So we take the time to congratulate you on your special day
I know that you have reached the top
But it is not over yet, for there is more to conquer so you can't stop
There is a future out there for you
Just believe and have faith in GOD cause he is always T-R-U-E
When so called friends turn there back on you
Just fall on your knees and pray cause He knows exactly what to do
Don't get too laid back and think that the journey will be an easy one
Cause to tell you the truth Mr. Tommy your life has just begun
But you are strong, black and intelligent man
And no matter what the barrier is I know you will withstand
So we tip off our hats with a congratulations filled with praise
Welcome to the real world cause this is where you will now spend most of your days
But you have made this far and you'll make it even further
Just keep your hands in Gods hand
And continue to stand tall and proud our strong black man
Remember if you need anything you always have Mom, Dad, Sisters and Brothers
For there is no other that can ever take your place
There is no other that can put a smile on our face
Like Tommy Our One & Only Baby Brother
Grandma is watching you from high above
And you know that she is smiling and praising with all her love

Congratulations Tommy A. Patterson
Put on your soldier gear cause you are truly a warrior

To Our Daughter, Yasmeen
Good, better,best. Never let it rest until the good gets better and the better gets best.
Love Dad & Mom

To Channel L. Way:
We remember the day when we were informed that we had a new niece and her name was Channel. Right away we realized that she was a bottle of cologne. So, from that day on she was always Channel no. 5. We are very happy to have such a sweet niece. We love you.
Congratulations. Uncle T and Aunt Cecilia



To Yasmeen
Congratulations &
Best of Wishes
Vick

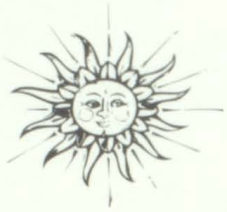
To Channel,
Looking back eighteen years ago when I first visited you in the nursery, I said oh look at my new Grand-Daughter. You were so small that I was afraid to hold you and I look at you now all grown up. Always remember: if you put God first you will never be second.

Congratulations! Your proud,Grand-Dad (Willis)



Yasmeen Weems
You deserve nothing but the best. You've been successful in school from K- 12. Great Job!

Love Cuz,
Rae-Rae and Zakii



Yasmeen,
I Love You,
From Auntie Ellie

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Kamilah Fajir Crawley,







We have watched you strive for academic excellence from your earliest days.
The journey to this moment has been filled with all of life's emotions, but you had the strength to persevere. We are very proud of your present accomplishments, and as you follow your dreams for the future. Know that the love of your family is preserved in spirit and wish you success and happiness.
Peace and Love,
Your Family in Heaven and on Earth

Congrats to Yasmeen & Channel

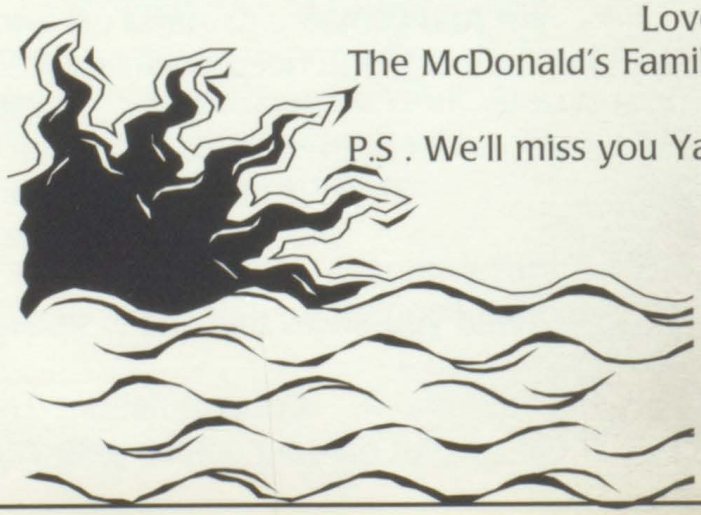




You both have been a pleasure to work with. We appreciate your hard work and effort, even though you get on our nerves. Much success in all of your future endeavors.

Love,
The McDonald's Family

P.S . We'll miss you Yaz

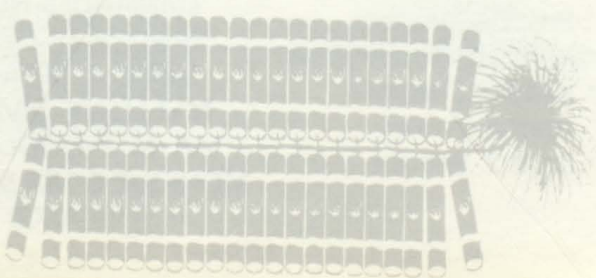


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